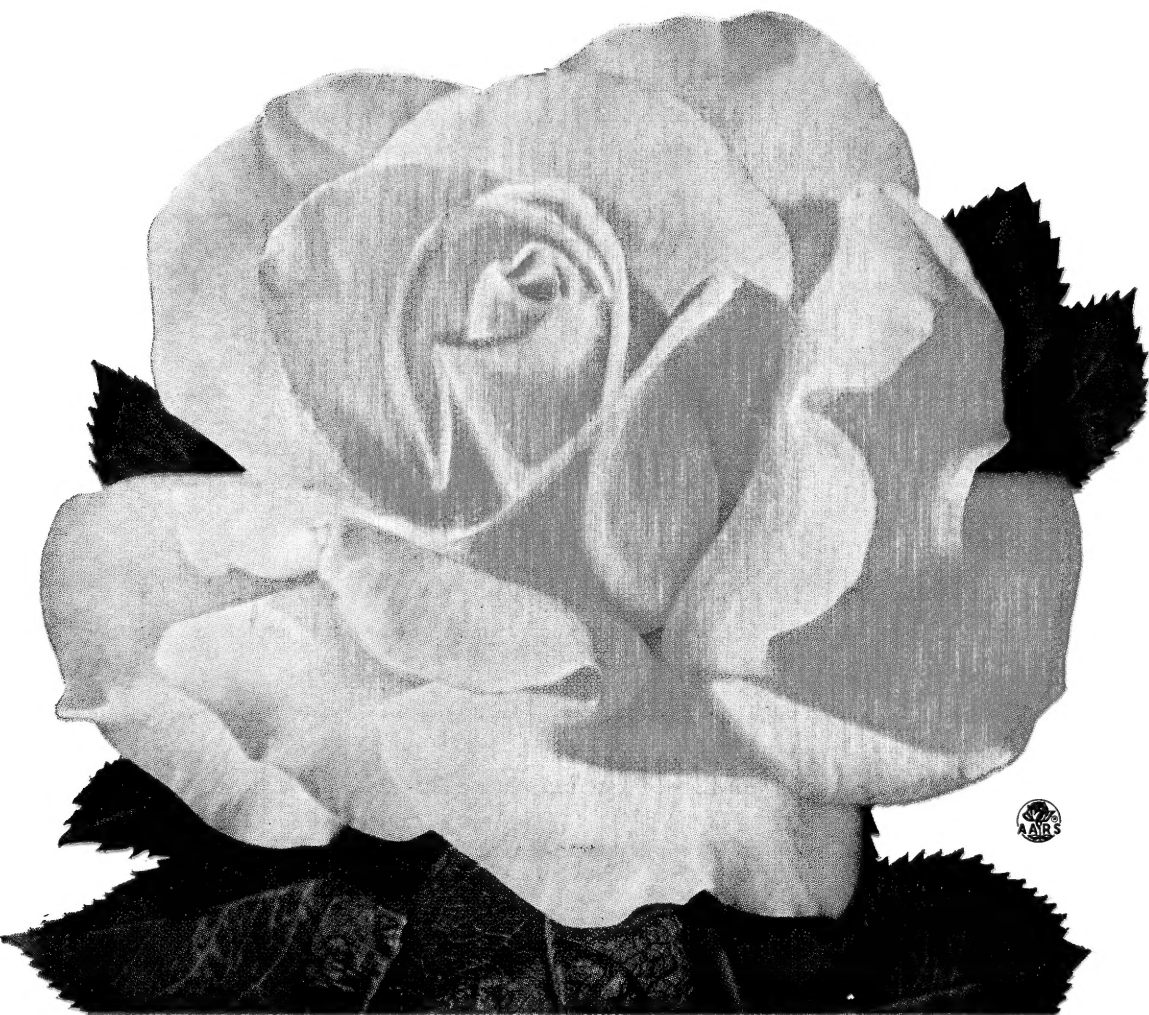


ROSES OF THOMASVILLE



NEW 1960 All-America Winner HYBRID TEA ROSE, GARDEN PARTY

Camellias • Daylilies

HJORT'S 1960 BOOKLET

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES, INC.

"Home of Roses"

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



DAYLILY, COLONIAL DAME

No. 14 in 1956 American Hemerocallis Society Popularity Poll.

Thomasville Flower Shows

Quality of bloom is always outstanding at the Thomasville Camellia Show, and plans have been perfected for staging a lovely show Saturday and Sunday, February 6 and 7, 1960. Competitive entries are not restricted to Thomasville. Anyone can enter by advising in advance.

Rose Time in the Deep South is celebrated annually through the staging of the Thomasville Rose Show, the most spectacular flower show in the Southeast, by the Thomasville Garden Clubs, Inc., assisted by the Chamber of Commerce and other civic groups.

Friday, April 29, 1960, is the date of the 39th annual Rose Show. At that time our large Rose Test Garden, one of the official All-America Rose Test Gardens of America, will be open to visitors as usual. The show will be one of great beauty, size and merit, and Roses in private gardens also are generally at their best at that time.

Last May, Thomasville staged its third Hemerocallis Show at the Garden Center. It was a most creditable display, and another will be held in May, 1960, date to be announced. At each of these shows we will exhibit many varieties, all entries showing names, and our grounds will be open to visitors. You will enjoy seeing these shows and Thomasville at flower-show time.

LOCATION, INVITATION, GUARANTEE, ETC. . . .

Location. Office, trial grounds and sales yard at city limits, east, at intersection of Smith Avenue and Pine Tree Boulevard. Leaving city limits, Smith Avenue becomes Boston Road and is a link of U. S. Highway 84.

Invitation to Visitors. Visitors are welcome at our nursery every day in the year, and there is no obligation to purchase. See Roses in the large Test Garden of Sam Hjort at 1840 Smith Ave., adjoining main nursery, April through October; Daylilies March through summer, and Camellias November through February. Flowering Trees, including a fine collection of Oriental Magnolias, are an added attraction.

Substitution. Usually we can fill order complete with first-choice varieties. But as the season advances, when a variety is sold out we will substitute one of equal or greater value, unless instructed not to do so.

Prices in this catalog cancel all previous quotations.

Minimum Order. For us to prepay Roses, Daylilies and Liriope, \$3.50. Orders of less, please add 50c for postage and handling.

Guarantee. We guarantee all plants to be up to grade, properly dug and packed, and shipped according to instructions. Most people who pay their good money for plants set them carefully and tend them properly. Instructions for planting and care accompany every shipment. We do not make a blanket guarantee that our plants will live, but we will adjust satisfactorily any reasonable claim, provided losses are not from weather or other conditions beyond our control, and your claim is filed by July 1.

Visitors Please Note

We wish to serve everyone in turn and sometimes many cars are at the nursery at one time. In order that salesmen may know who is "next," please give your name at the office upon arrival. The ladies in the office will then see that you are served in turn and as quickly as possible consistent with adequate and courteous attention to all.

WE ARE MEMBERS OF



All-America Camellia Selections
American Association of Nurserymen
American Hemerocallis Society
Georgia Nurserymen's Association

Florida Nurserymen's and Growers' Association

All-America Rose Selections
American Camellia Society
American Rose Society
Georgia Rose Society



Foreword . . .

The new All-America Roses for 1960 are superb. For the past three years in our test garden, Garden Party has been the most admired Hybrid Tea. Likewise, Fire King and Sarabande, growing side by side, have drawn the most praise among the Floribundas for their brilliance and performance.

While All-America requirements are so exacting that any Rose winning an award is good, it seems the truly great Roses come along about every five years. 1941 gave us one of the great Roses of all time, Charlotte Armstrong; and 1946 produced Peace, often referred to as the World's No. 1 Rose. 1950 saw a fascinating color break with the introduction of the Floribunda, Fashion. After another five years came Queen Elizabeth, already perhaps the most widely grown of all pink Roses in the best gardens.

Now we have Garden Party, which we believe has come to join the ranks of the topmost varieties. And as for the other All-America Winners, Fire King and Sarabande, these Floribundas are above the average and bring conspicuous color to this useful group of Roses.

Another good season of ample rainfall and perfect growing conditions has produced some of the best bushes we have ever grown. The same can be said for Camellias and Daylilies. The loveliness of flower in some of these is almost breathtaking. We wish more people would come and see for themselves; come by any time and enjoy beautiful bloom with us. Just to see the Old-Fashioned Tea Roses alone is worth the trip here in the fall. And we think you will like the plants we grow, too.

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES, INC.

Sam C. Hjort,
President

August 1, 1959

GOLDEN GIRL

A free-flowering,
vigorous new grandiflora Rose for 1960

See page 11.



CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. All-America Winner 1953
One of the great Roses of all time

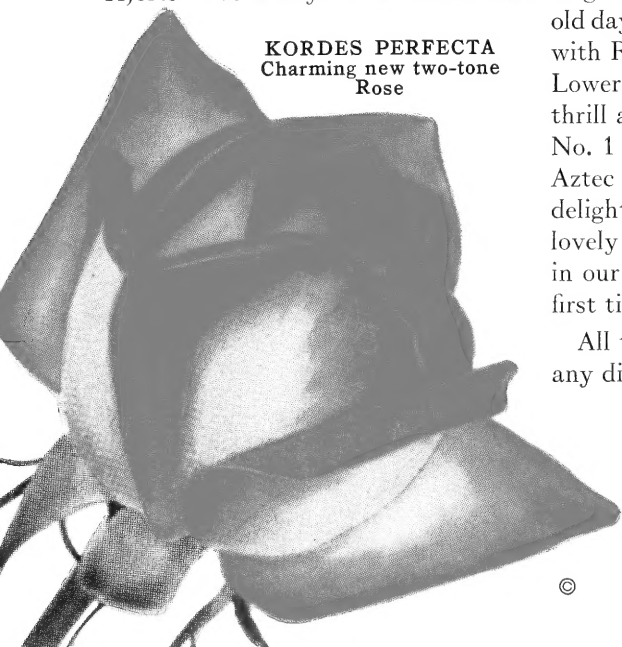
Hybrid Tea Roses

These are the large and lovely exhibition Roses

Throughout the years, largely because others usually discussed Hybrid Teas, we put emphasis on Floribundas, Grandifloras and Old-Fashioned Roses. We have been asked if we were really interested in Hybrid Teas.

We try to serve Rose gardeners well, and we are immensely interested in Hybrid Teas. The Hjorts have always loved them—like to grow, exhibit and talk about them. We recall the old days of the first Hybrid Teas and the thrill that came with Radiance, the first of the Tea-like hybrids for the Lower South. And, along with many other people, the thrill at the first sight of Peace, still rated the World's No. 1 Rose. And what an impression a new color like Aztec makes! And several years ago the thrill of the delightful two-tone Kordes Perfecta, and later the very lovely Garden Party, which we were privileged to grow in our test garden and which now goes on sale for the first time.

KORDES PERFECTA
Charming new two-tone
Rose



All the Rose bushes look fine this season. If there is any difference, it is in favor of the Hybrid Teas.

In limited supply we have other varieties than those listed here. We invite and welcome correspondence about any and all Roses.

We ship Rose plants from November 1 to March 31. A minimum order should be \$3.50. Otherwise please add 50c for postage and handling.

Hybrid Tea Roses

Aztec. Plant Patent 1648. Deep, rich, intense scarlet-orange. The fine buds and large, shapely flowers are near perfection in form; the plant is vigorous and well foliaged. Whoever said the best red Roses are pretty much the same color ought to see this one; it is so different from any other. Anybody will love this one. \$2.75.

Briarcliff. Rose-pink; large, double, fragrant. Stiff stems; good growth. \$1.25.

Burnaby. Plant Patent 1314. Gorgeous light yellow blooms of finest exhibition size. Long, tapering buds and large flowers on stiff stems. Bush is sturdy and vigorous. \$2.50.

Charlotte Armstrong. A truly great Rose, second only to Peace in national popularity. Buds long pointed, carmine-red; open flower cerise. Long stems; vigorous growth. Should be in every collection of Hybrid Tea Roses. \$1.75.

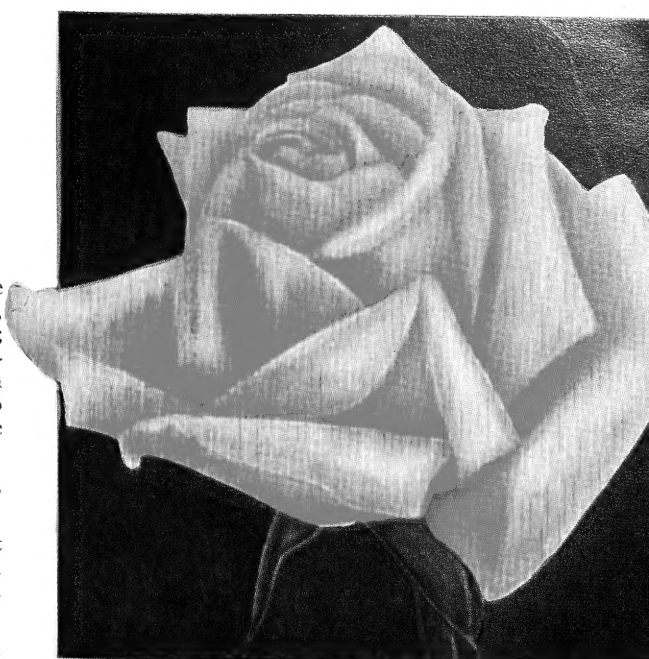
Chrysler Imperial. Plant Patent 1167. Perhaps the finest dark red Rose to date. Vivid crimson with darker overtones; large, very double; spicy fragrance. Compact, sturdy growth. \$2.50.

Confidence. Plant Patent 1192. A new Rose from the originator of Peace. This is a peach-toned pastel flower of always notable form. It has long, streamlined buds and large double flowers on strong stems. \$2.50.

AZTEC
New glowing orange-scarlet



THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



BURNABY. Large flowers on stiff stems.

Countess Vandal. Coppery salmon-pink; long-pointed buds and large, high-centered flowers on stiff stems. Vigorous and outstanding, and always a favorite at Thomasville, where many varieties are grown. \$1.50.

Crimson Glory. All the name implies. Deep crimson-red; very double; highly fragrant. In a popularity contest the country over, it stood with Peace and Charlotte Armstrong to comprise the top three. \$1.50.

Dainty Bess. Large, single, wild-rose-pink flowers in clusters. Bush vigorous; continuous bloomer. One of the loveliest of all Roses. \$1.50.

Eclipse. Long, streamlined buds of deep yellow. Vigorous and thrifty, with abundant foliage. \$1.25.

Editor McFarland. Deep pink, comparable to Radiance in growth and flowering. Some stems produce one large flower, but often many stems produce flowers in clusters. If it were a new Rose it would be a Grandiflora, for \$2.50, perhaps \$3.00. As it is, it is \$1.25.

Etoile de Hollande. Brilliant crimson. Large, fairly double, fragrant blooms on long stems. Vigorous; continuous bloomer. The most generally successful and satisfactory of non-patented red Roses. \$1.25.

Golden Dawn. Bud is sunflower-yellow, flushed with old-rose; flower very double and fragrant, borne on stiff stem. A vigorous bush with abundant foliage. If it were a new Rose we feel sure it would be an All-America Winner for \$2.50, perhaps more. \$1.50.



PEACE
All-America Winner 1946
Long called The World's No. 1 Rose

Garden Party. Plant Patent 1814. One of the loveliest Roses ever created, a successful cross of Charlotte Armstrong and Peace. In our test garden for three years, it was the most admired of all the varieties. The blooms are a combination of soft pastels. The rich ivory center becomes creamy, finally flushed with apple-blossom-pink. The flower is huge, often as large or larger than Peace, yet it has a beautiful long bud and marvelous form. It is at its best when fully open. Stems are long and sturdy. The plant is well balanced and vigorous, branching freely and providing almost continuous bloom. Large, dark olive-green foliage. See illustration on page 7. \$3.50.

Helen Traubel. Plant Patent 1028. All-America Winner for 1952. A beautiful Rose of vigorous growth, producing many blooms on good stems; long-pointed buds. Color varies with the weather; sometimes it is a lively light pink, often it is salmon-pink or apricot. Always lovely. See illustration on page 8. \$2.75.

Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria. White, with slight lemon tint in center. Beautiful bud and large double flower. Some stems produce one large bloom, others produce clusters like a Grandiflora. The most satisfactory of the white non-patented Hybrid Tea Roses. \$1.25.

Hybrid Tea Roses

Prices of Hybrid Tea Roses

All \$1.25	Roses are 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00
All \$1.50	Roses are 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.80, 12 for \$15.60
All \$1.75	Roses are 3 for \$4.65, 6 for \$9.30, 12 for \$18.60
All \$2.00	Roses are 3 for \$5.25, 6 for \$10.50, 12 for \$21.00
All \$2.25	Roses are 3 for \$6.00, 6 for \$12.00, 12 for \$24.00
All \$2.50	Roses are 3 for \$6.60, 6 for \$13.20, 12 for \$26.40
All \$2.75	Roses are 3 for \$7.20, 6 for \$14.40, 12 for \$28.80
All \$3.00	Roses are 3 for \$7.95, 6 for \$15.90
All \$3.50	Roses are 3 for \$9.20, 6 for \$18.40

All Rose Plants shipped postpaid

Killarney Queen. Finest of all the Killarneys. Deep rose-pink, semi-double; lasting. \$1.50.

Kordes Perfecta. Plant Patent 1604. A leader in beautiful and unusual new Roses, and a creation of the celebrated German rosarian William Kordes, who gave us Crimson Glory and others. An intriguing color combination, completely different from any other variety. The buds begin to show color as petals separate and from then on it is a constantly changing picture—cream-white, lined pink and carmine at edges, deepening throughout as the flower opens to a most pleasing and alluring combination of pink and white suffused with yellow. The free-blooming flowers are large and long-lasting on the plant and when cut. The bush is vigorous, with luxuriant dark green foliage. See illustration on page 4. \$3.50.

We ship Rose plants from November 1 to March 31. A minimum order should be \$3.50. Otherwise please add 50c for postage and handling.

Join the AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY AND THE GEORGIA ROSE SOCIETY

Rose lovers everywhere will find membership in the American Rose Society most helpful and interesting. For \$5.50 yearly dues one receives every spring a beautiful illustrated Annual, the monthly American Rose Magazine, each issue full of interesting material, use of the lending library and personal help on Rose problems. We also invite you, wherever you live, to join the Georgia Rose Society, which issues a bi-monthly News Letter, several mimeographed sheets of timely Rose information.

For \$7.00 you will receive membership in both the American Rose Society and the Georgia Rose Society. Remittance should be mailed to Georgia Rose Society, Box 328, Thomasville, Ga. We receive no commissions. Only because these are non-profit organizations is it possible to give so much for \$7.00.

Hybrid Tea Roses

Light Editor McFarland. One of the very finest and most dependable Roses for the South. It is our own light pink sport of Editor McFarland. In growth and habit is exactly like the parent bush, but the flower is lighter and considered by many to be more beautiful than the original. This Rose does exceptionally well in Florida and the Gulf coastal area. \$1.50.

McGredy's Sunset. Deep golden yellow, tinged orange; opens clear yellow. Large, heat-resistant flower; strong stem. Heavy foliage on a vigorous plant. At Thomasville a great favorite; many think it the best yellow Hybrid Tea. See illustration on page 8. \$1.50.

McGredy's Yellow. Buds long pointed, becoming large, slightly fragrant, buttercup-yellow flowers. Vigorous bush. \$1.50.

Mirandy. Plant Patent 632. Very large, double, dark garnet-red; highly fragrant. Upright and vigorous in growth. Usually produces one flower to a stem, eliminating disbudding and always producing specimen blooms. At Thomasville, where many varieties have been tried, it is a favorite dark red. See illustration on page 9. \$2.25.

Mission Bells. Plant Patent 923. All-America Winner for 1950, and one of the most vigorous and rewarding of Roses. Deep shrimp-pink buds, opening to large, salmon-pink flowers. Strong, branched growth, constantly in bloom. Anyone who can grow Roses at all can grow Mission Bells. For its many good points it deserves a place in every garden. \$2.00.

Mrs. Charles Bell. Sport of Radiance, and identical with parent in vigorous growth, freedom of bloom and size of flower. Always dependable, always satisfactory, and easily the best of its color, shell-pink, for the South. \$1.25.

See Roses Here

As this catalog goes into the mails, Roses are blooming profusely in our large Rose test garden and in the fields, and we urge all those who would like to see many varieties from some of the oldest to the very newest, to come by and see us in September or October. You don't have to buy every time you come here. Come and enjoy this very lovely and colorful upsurge of fall bloom with us!

FOUR ALL-TIME GREAT ROSES

Chrysler Imperial. Dark red.
Garden Party. White, tinged pink.
Peace. Yellow, tinged pink.
Queen Elizabeth. Rose-pink.

(Regular Value \$11.00)

SPECIAL

one each, \$10.00

Three of each for \$29.70

ASK FOR OFFER NO. H-3

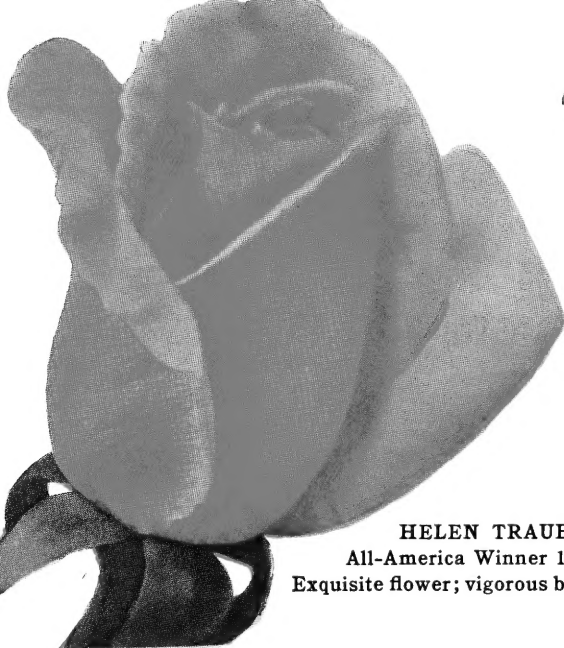
The greatest All-America Winners seem to come along about five years apart, such as Peace (1946), Fashion (1950), Queen Elizabeth (1955) and Garden Party (1960).

Anyone will enjoy these Roses!

All-America
 Winner 1960

The very lovely and
 vigorous new Rose,
 GARDEN PARTY





HELEN TRAUBEL
All-America Winner 1952
Exquisite flower; vigorous bush

Hybrid Tea Roses

Picture. Long-pointed buds and double, fragrant, rose-pink flowers, produced on a strong bush. An attractive flower for cutting, with good substance and long-lasting qualities. A Southern favorite. \$1.50.

Poinsettia. Distinctively different from other reds in color and foliage. Poinsettia-scarlet, double blooms, borne on strong stems. Large foliage; vigorous bush. \$1.25.

President Herbert Hoover. Flame-pink, scarlet and yellow; long-pointed buds on heavy, stiff stems. A good Rose, honoring a sound and patriotic American. \$1.25.

Radiance. The great, dependable favorite of the South. Carmine-pink blooms on strong stems. A vigorous, free bloomer over a long season. It may be a lazy gardener's Rose, but everyone loves it for its admirable qualities. \$1.25.

Red Radiance. Easily the most generally planted red Rose in the South for like its parent Radiance it is practically perfect in size, stem, growth, freedom of bloom and persistency. \$1.25.

Rubaiyat. Plant Patent 758. Here is a large Rose fully as vigorous as Radiance. Large, cerise-red buds, opening to rose-red flowers. The strong bush produces many fine flowers on strong stems; large foliage. Has become a great favorite. \$1.85.

Soeur Therese. Long-pointed, chrome-yellow buds, opening to daffodil-like flowers. A favorite in many localities. \$1.25.

Nocturne. Plant Patent 713. Deep cardinal-red; long-pointed buds and large flowers on stiff stems, usually one perfect flower to a stem. Most vigorous of dark reds at Thomasville. In a close race with Mirandy and Crimson Glory, Nocturne is first in popularity in the Southeast. \$2.25.

Peace. Plant Patent 591. World's No. 1 Rose. Winner of all top national awards in America, France, England and other countries, and blue ribbons and sweepstakes in shows everywhere. Peace is a strong grower, with large, handsome foliage and produces very large, very double and lasting flowers of soft yellow, flushed and tinged pink. An exquisite Rose. \$2.50.

BIG VALUE Non - Patented Roses

Eclipse. Yellow.
Editor McFarland.

Dark pink.

Etoile de Hollande.

Dark red.

Radiance. Carmine-pink.

Red Radiance. Light red.

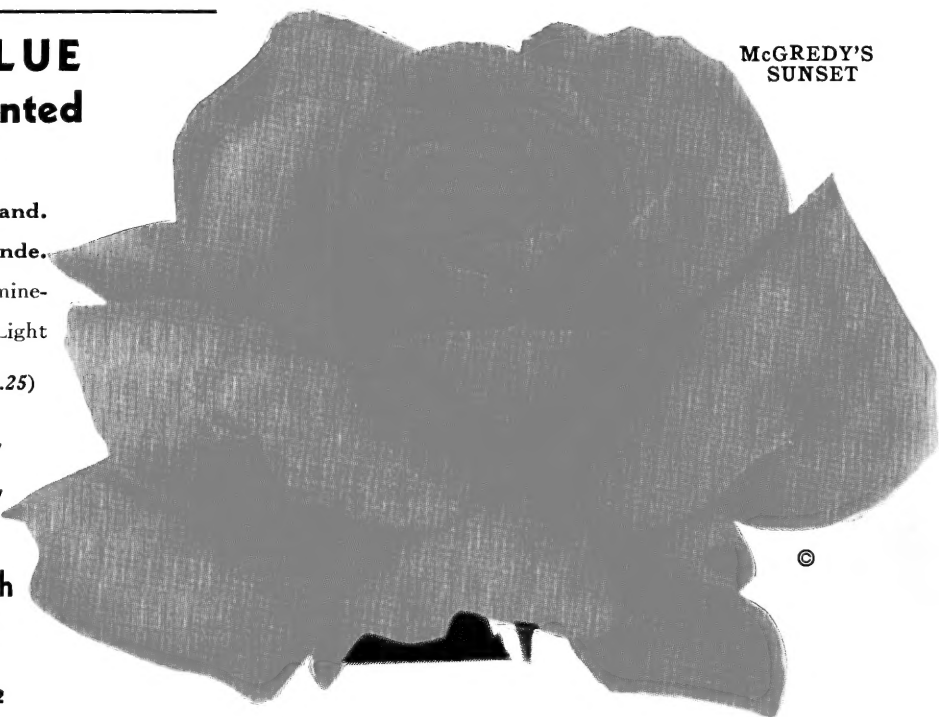
(Regular Value \$6.25)

SPECIAL
one each,
\$5.00

Three of each
for \$14.00

**ASK FOR
OFFER NO. H-2**

**McGREY'S
SUNSET**

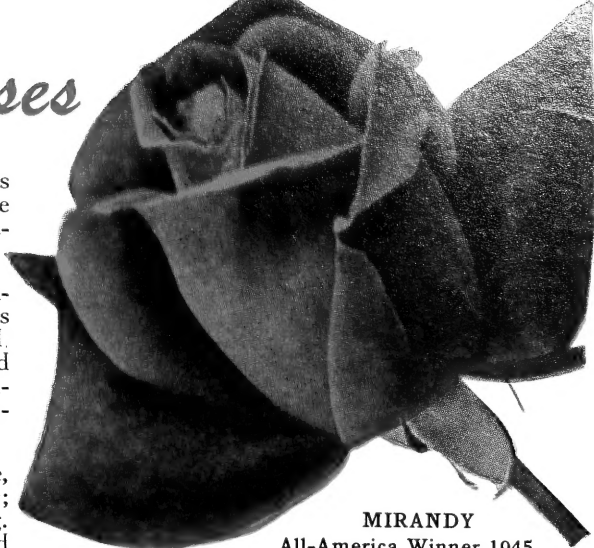


Hybrid Tea Roses

Sterling Silver. Plant Patent 1433. Tight buds lightly suffused with lavender open to large flowers of silver-lavender. A very unusual variety. \$3.00.

Sunlight. Plant Patent 1576. Perhaps the finest yellow Rose in years; during the test years it always scored high with us. Bud fine pointed, opening to a most strikingly beautiful and shapely flower of deep, clear yellow. The foliage is large and attractive, on erect, well-balanced plants. \$2.50.

The Doctor. Sparkling pink, pointed bud; large, rose-pink flower. Does not grow fast first year; afterward is large, thrifty and outstanding. For those who can exercise a little patience and give it a little extra care it usually becomes a most charming and appreciated pink Rose. \$1.50.



MIRANDY

All-America Winner 1945

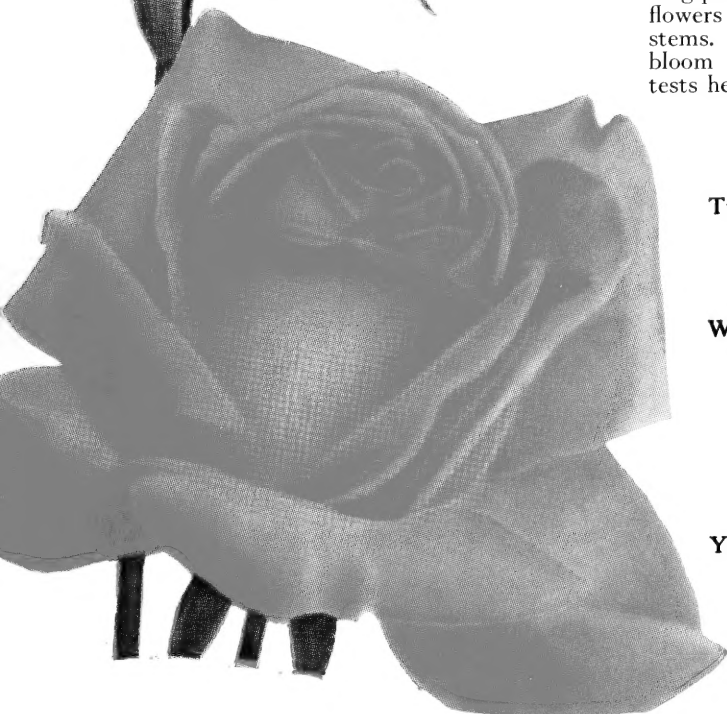
One of the most fragrant of all Roses



TIFFANY

Finest deep pink
Hybrid Tea Rose
in years

All-America
Winner 1955



Thomasville Favorite Hybrid Teas

Charlotte Armstrong. Carmine.

Garden Party. Bicolor.

Mirandy. Dark red.

Peace. Yellow, tinged pink.

Tiffany. Pink.

(Regular Value \$12.75)

SPECIAL, one each, \$11.50

Three of each for \$33.75

ASK FOR OFFER NO. H-1

Tiffany. Plant Patent 1304. All-America Winner for 1955. A strikingly beautiful warm pink Rose, shading to yellow at the base. Lovely, long-pointed buds, opening into large, double flowers that last well; produced on strong, stiff stems. The bush is of vigorous growth; the bloom is plentiful. Favorable reports from tests here and the entire Southeast show that it is dependable. We highly recommend this Rose and believe that Tiffany has come to stay a long, long time. \$2.75.

Twilight. Plant Patent 1434. A splendid new pastel lavender-lilac with a light silvery reverse. The bud is pointed, and the flower opens gradually to show a high center. \$2.75.

White Knight. Plant Patent 1359. A fine new Rose, the first white Hybrid Tea to be chosen in the history of the AARS. It is a splendid Rose for cutting purposes, with long-lasting flowers. The buds are long-pointed, and the blossoms are soft satin-white on the inside and shining white on the outside. \$3.00.

Yellow Talisman. Buds golden yellow, long pointed; flowers somewhat lighter. Very successfully grown at Thomasville. Bush is vigorous, superior to its parent. \$1.25.

Grandiflora ROSES

Combining the beautiful form of the Hybrid Tea and the abundance of bloom of the Floribunda, the Grandifloras are the new super Roses. To the excellent varieties catalogued last year, we have now added a white and another yellow. All the Grandifloras are vigorous in growth, producing flowers on stiff stems, sometimes singly and sometimes in clusters, from spring until late fall.



CARROUSEL

PRICES ON GRANDIFLORA ROSES

All \$2.00 Roses are 3 for \$5.25, 6 for \$10.50

All \$2.50 Roses are 3 for \$6.60, 6 for \$13.20

All \$2.75 Roses are 3 for \$7.20, 6 for \$14.40

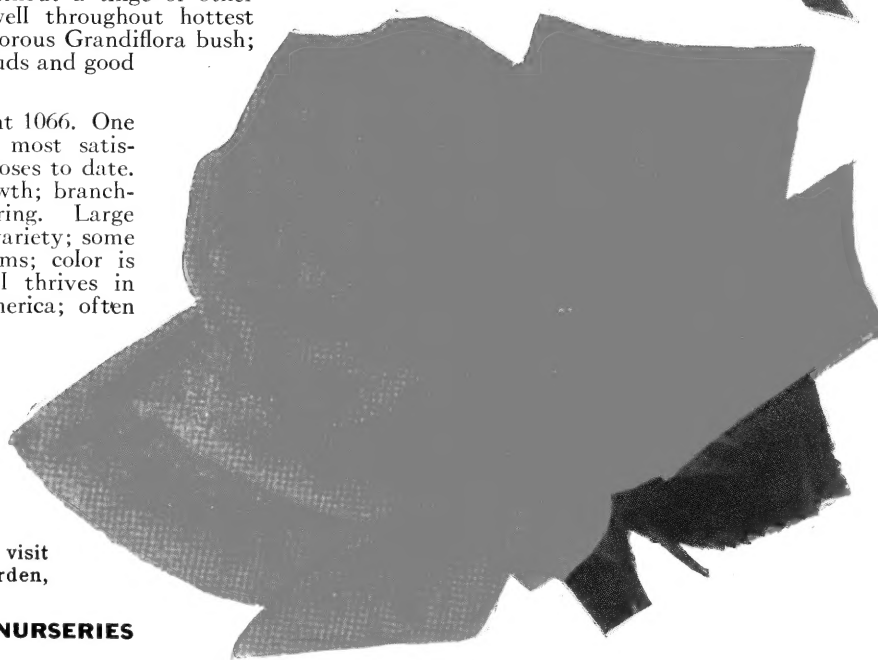
All \$3.00 Roses are 3 for \$7.95, 6 for \$15.90

All Rose plants shipped postpaid.

Buccaneer. Plant Patent 1119. Brilliant and non-fading yellow, without a tinge of other color. Holds color well throughout hottest summer weather. Vigorous Grandiflora bush; long stems; pointed buds and good open flowers. \$2.50.

Carrousel. Plant Patent 1066. One of the showiest and most satisfactory of dark red Roses to date. Very vigorous in growth; branching and free flowering. Large blooms for a cluster variety; some blooms on single stems; color is non-fading. Carrousel thrives in many sections of America; often does remarkably well under adverse conditions. It has recently won the Gold Certificate of the American Rose Society, one of the Rose world's top honors. \$2.00.

BUCCANEER
Holds its color in
hottest sunlight



Anyone will enjoy a visit
to our Rose Test Garden,
April through October.

10 THOMASVILLE NURSERIES



JUNE BRIDE

Rank in growth, profuse in bloom

Montezuma. Plant Patent 1383. A fine Rose bringing new color to the Grandiflora class. For quality of bloom, vigorous growth and continuous flowering, we think this variety has come to stay. Long-pointed, orange-scarlet buds open to salmon-orange blooms of good substance on long stems. \$2.75.

Queen Elizabeth. Plant Patent 1259. All-America Winner for 1955. A very lovely Rose, honoring a very lovely lady! This pure pink Rose is one of the finest varieties ever introduced in America. Not every All-America winner in the past has thrived in the South, but this one is well-nigh perfection. In test gardens in all the Southern states it has shown excellent growth and flowering qualities. Queen Elizabeth is a charming color, a blending of carmine-rose with dawn-pink. It is a profuse bloomer and of the most vigorous growth. It is a development of the noted hybridizer, Dr. Walter Lammerts, who calls it his finest creation, which is putting it strongly, for he has given us such other splendid Roses as Charlotte Armstrong and Chrysler Imperial. Everyone will love Queen Elizabeth! \$2.50.

It is difficult to capture in printer's ink, despite the greatest efforts, the beauty of a rose. Queen Elizabeth is one of these. You must see the "Queen" on the bush or in a vase to catch its full beauty and charm.

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA

GRANDIFLORA ROSES

Golden Girl. Plant Patent Applied for. A valuable new yellow Grandiflora. Long-pointed buds and large golden flowers are abundantly produced on a well-branched and vigorous bush. A touch of fragrance adds to the charm of the flower. Those who

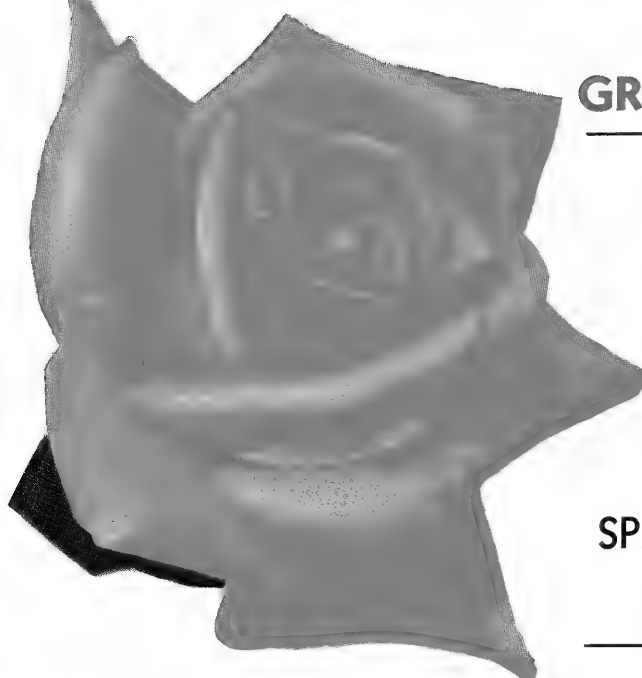
love yellow Roses—and who doesn't?—should make this their next new one. See illustration on page 3. \$3.00.

June Bride. Plant Patent 1770. Strongest grower of all white bush Roses. In our test garden it is 8 feet tall. Large, long-pointed buds opening to large, high-centered, white flowers tinged cream at base, mostly in clusters. Continuous, profuse bloom. \$2.50.

**QUEEN
ELIZABETH**
Favorite pink
Rose

All-America
Winner 1955





GRANDIFLORA ROSES

All Grandiflora Collection

- Buccaneer.** Sunfast yellow.
- Carrousel.** Velvety dark red.
- Golden Girl.** Golden yellow.
- June Bride.** White.
- Montezuma.** Salmon-orange.
- Queen Elizabeth.** Rose-pink.
- Roundelay.** Dark red.
- Starfire.** Currant-red.

(Regular Value \$20.75)

SPECIAL, one each, \$18.75

Three of each for \$54.75

ASK FOR OFFER NO. G-1

MONTEZUMA brings a new color

THREE FINE GRANDIFLORAS

- Carrousel.** Dark red.
- Golden Girl.** Golden yellow.
- Queen Elizabeth.** Dawn-pink.

(Regular Value \$7.50)

SPECIAL

one each, \$6.70

Three of each for \$19.80

ASK FOR OFFER NO. G-2



ROUNDELAY
Superb
Grandiflora

Roundelay. Plant Patent 1280. A dark red Rose of much merit and a fine addition to the Grandiflora class. From one of its parents, Charlotte Armstrong, it inherits beautiful form at all stages. From Floradora, the other parent, comes the characteristic of blooming very freely and lasting well. Stems are long and strong enough for cutting. Flowers, some on single stems, some in clusters, are delightfully fragrant. A vigorous, rapid grower with ample, dark green foliage. \$2.50.

Starfire. Plant Patent 1742. An attractive and different shade of red in the vigorous Grandiflora group, Starfire is tall-growing, non-fading currant-red, with unique luminous texture and depth to each velvety petal. Blooms freely, on single stems or in clusters, on a sturdy bush with ample good foliage. \$3.00.





©

Brilliant Floribunda Rose, SARABANDE
All-America Winner for 1960

Floribunda Roses

For great profusion of bloom, not just in the spring and fall when all Roses are superb in the South, but also in the very hottest summer weather, Floribunda Roses give an amazing performance. The over-used word "ever-blooming" is really justified here.

The value of Floribundas and Polyanthas is too obvious to need much comment . . . in borders and beds, or as color accents, they add their gay and sparkling note to any type of garden, especially since with the coming of such brilliant varieties as the new All-America Winners for 1960, Fire King and Sarabande, they run the entire range of Rose colors.

In growth there are low, medium and tall varieties, and in form there are singles, semi-doubles, rosettes and a few larger and very double, all with cluster habit of blooming. And Floribundas are lovely and long lasting as cut flowers. Truly, the most versatile of Roses.

Amy Vanderbilt. Plant Patent 1585. Here is a more double Rose in the new lavender-lilac shade; in our garden the most admired of these. Blooms well on a very vigorous bush. Lovely with yellow or light pink varieties, or just by itself. \$2.25.

Bouquet. Large clusters of semi-double, deep pink bloom. Long lasting as a cut flower. Large, attractive foliage. A very desirable Floribunda. \$1.50.

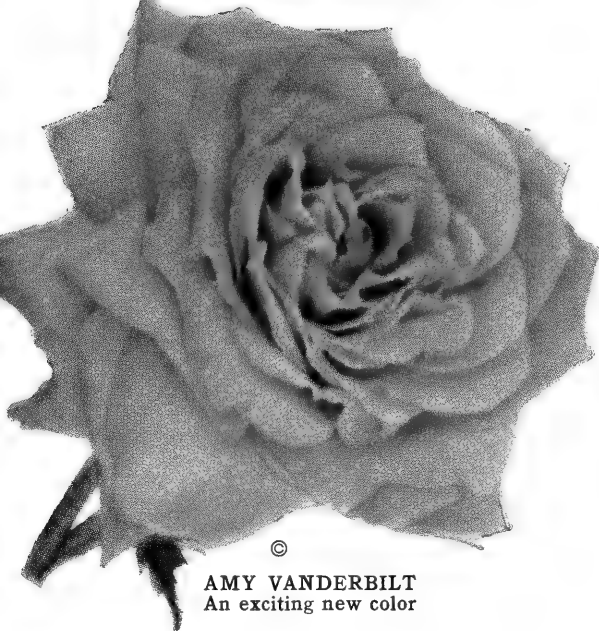
Cecile Brunner. The "Sweetheart Rose." One of the treasures of old Southern gardens, just as valued today as in the past. It is a Tea-Polyantha that develops into a large, vigorous bush, producing an abundance of very small, double, light pink blooms in clusters over a long season. \$2.00.

Crimson Rosette. Plant Patent 901. Coiled "rosette" shape; deep red, very double flowers in clusters on stiff stems. As a bedding variety it is superb, but it has much merit as a long-lasting cut flower. This variety is something new and charming in Floribundas, and worthy of a place in any garden. \$1.50.

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



POULSEN'S BEDDER
Vigorous, profuse, constant



©
AMY VANDERBILT
An exciting new color

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Prices of Floribunda Roses

All \$1.25 Roses are 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00
 All \$1.50 Roses are 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.80, 12 for \$15.00
 All \$1.75 Roses are 3 for \$4.65, 6 for \$9.30, 12 for \$18.60
 All \$2.00 Roses are 3 for \$5.25, 6 for \$10.50, 12 for \$21.00
 All \$2.25 Roses are 3 for \$6.00, 6 for \$12.00, 12 for \$24.00
 All \$2.50 Roses are 3 for \$6.60, 6 for \$13.20, 12 for \$26.40
 All \$2.75 Roses are 3 for \$7.20, 6 for \$14.40, 12 for \$28.80

All Rose plants shipped postpaid.

Chic. Plant Patent 1286. A Floribunda of exceptional merit for the South and perhaps for other sections. It is a Rose of perfect Floribunda characteristics, much branched, vigorous, flowering freely in clusters. The color is salmon-pink in the bud stage, becoming bright pink with faint salmon shading. In our test garden and nursery fields it bloomed right on through the hottest weather, and we have seen it performing well in Alabama, Florida and North Carolina. For those who like double pink bloom of practically the Ma Perkins color but borne in greater profusion, on good stems fine for cutting, this is a very nice new Floribunda. See illustration on back cover. \$2.00.

Dagmar Spath. Pure white flowers. Free flowering, producing masses of bloom with golden stamens. An ideal bedding Rose of medium height. \$1.50.

Donald Prior. A perfect Crimson Glory deep red color, producing great masses of bloom over a long season, right on through the hottest summer weather. Very vigorous. A great favorite in the Lower South, and rightly so, for it is always showy and easy to grow. \$1.50.

Else Poulsen. One of the older Floribundas, but widely grown because it is a most satisfactory performer. The semi-double, bright rose-pink flowers are carried on erect, strong plants. Good for a hedge or as a bedding variety; also good for cutting. \$1.25.

Eutin. Buds pointed; flowers cupped, double, glowing carmine-red. Very vigorous, with dark foliage. \$1.50.

Fashion. Plant Patent 789. Buds Oriental-red, opening to a luminous pink, overlaid with gold, becoming coral with age. The bush is vigorous and branching in habit, and blooms all through the Rose season. All the praise continually heaped on this Rose is well deserved; its popularity increases and it is a favorite wherever grown. \$2.00.

Fire King. Plant Patent 1758. All-America Winner for 1960. One of the finest Floribundas ever produced. The color is spectacular—coral-vermilion, and the medium-sized, extremely double flowers in clusters are very striking. As a cut flower under artificial light at night it fairly shines. Blooms through the hottest weather. The strong plant has stood out in our test garden for several years. The dark green foliage fills out the plant to give it a well-rounded appearance. You will like Fire King. See illustration on back cover. \$2.50.

Floradora. Constantly in bloom and an entirely new shade in Roses—a brilliant cinnabar-red, as arresting under artificial light as in the garden. Floradora blooms are always eye-catchers; everyone stops to admire them. As a cut flower it is exceptionally long lasting. Floradora should be in every Floribunda garden. \$1.25.

Frensham. Deep crimson-red flowers of medium size, borne in typical Floribunda clusters. Very compact and branching growth, making it an excellent border, hedge or bedding variety. Sturdy in growth and constant in bloom. \$1.25.

Fusilier. Plant Patent 1709. 1958 All-America Winner. A brilliant new Floribunda. While it looks good all day, this brilliant orange-red fairly shines in the soft light of late afternoon or as a cut flower under artificial light in the evening. Lasts a long time as a cut bloom. The bush is robust and the foliage good. Flowers are fairly double, borne in Floribunda cluster form. Fusilier will be a favorite in the garden or used in hedge or shrub plantings where color accent is desired. \$2.50.

BOUQUET



All-America Group

Fire King. Fiery coral-scarlet.

Garden Party. Hybrid Tea. White, tinged pink.

Sarabande. Brilliant orange-scarlet.

(Regular Value \$8.50)

SPECIAL, one each, \$7.75

Three of each for \$22.50

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-1

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Geranium Red. Plant Patent 811. One of the most unusual and most admired red Floribundas at Thomasville. In color it is all the name implies, and the flowers are somewhat larger than most varieties of this group. The camellia-like flowers are a vivid, bright, geranium-like red, and no picture does it full credit. The bush is a strong one, flowering from spring till late fall in the South. As a bedding Rose and as a cut-flower variety, this distinctively different Floribunda has been much praised by many who have grown it. \$2.00.

Goldilocks. Plant Patent 672. The buds are miniatures of Hybrid Tea perfection, opening into fully double, golden flowers. The bush is of strong and compact growth. Stems are strong and flowers fine for cutting. \$1.75.

Improved Lafayette. Large; semi-double; cherry-red. Very strong grower and profuse bloomer over a long season. Ideal for borders or group plantings where Floribundas are most effective. \$1.25.

Jiminy Cricket. Plant Patent 1346. 1955 All-America Winner. A striking Floribunda produced in great profusion on a vigorous bush. Vivid tangerine-orange color in bud, changing to coral or vermillion as it opens, and finishing a shade of pink-coral. The flowers have the appearance of a deep and intensified Fashion, and the glossy foliage adds to its attractiveness. \$2.00.



©

GERANIUM RED

A unique, showy, fragrant Floribunda

Ma Perkins. Plant Patent 1143. 1953 All-America Winner. Most charming in color and form. Buds are coral with tinges of red and a touch of yellow at the base; open flowers are lovely coral-shell-pink. Compact and vigorous. A worthy companion of Fashion and Vogue. \$2.00.

Perle d'Or. The salmon "Sweetheart Rose." Much like Cecile Brunner in form; salmon-pink in color. \$2.00.

Pinkie. Plant Patent 712. A very lovely little Rose of perfect Sweetheart size and form. Deep pink, opening lighter. A most profuse bloomer, repeating over a long season. An All-America Winner of 1948. \$2.00.

Pink Rosette. Plant Patent 902. A new and lovely form in Floribundas. Beautiful rosette-shaped, small, double flowers borne in large clusters on a small, compact, healthy bush. Flowers are long lasting and very fine for corsages. \$1.50.

Poulsen's Bedder. Clear, bright pink petals, slightly ruffled. Somewhat tall for a Floribunda, constant and profuse in bloom; very effective as a hedge or bedding variety. \$1.25.

Southern

Favorite Floribundas

Chic. Finest pink Floribunda.

Fashion. Showy coral-salmon.

Geranium Red. Geranium-like red.

Goldilocks. Golden yellow.

Red Pinocchio. Darkest red.

Summer Snow. Profuse white.

(Regular Value \$11.00)

SPECIAL, one each, \$10.00

Three of each for \$29.70

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-2

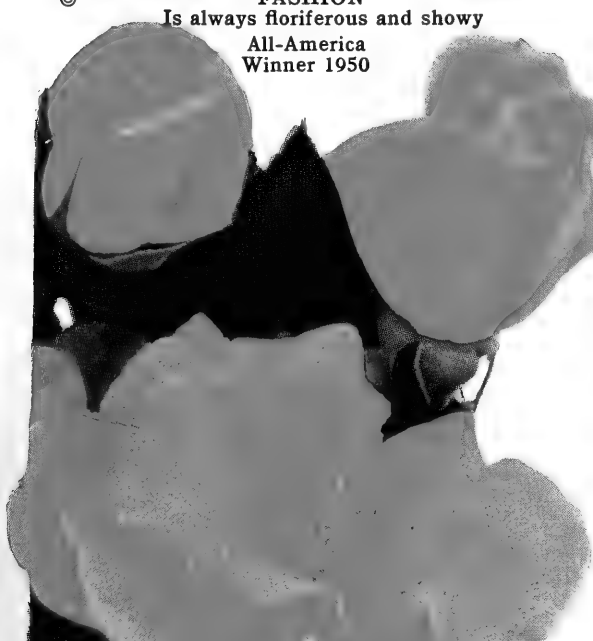
©

FASHION

Is always floriferous and showy

All-America

Winner 1950



Standard Floribunda Special

Non-Patented Varieties

Dagmar Spath. Pure white.

Floradora. Cinnabar-red.

Improved Lafayette. Cherry-red.

Poulsen's Bedder. Shell-pink.

Red Ripples. Dark red.

(Regular Value \$6.50)

SPECIAL, one each, \$5.00

Three of each for \$14.00

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-3



© SPARTAN

FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Red Pinocchio. Plant Patent 812. Very double, very dark red flowers borne in large clusters on a medium-sized, compact bush. Excellent for hedge and border use. A great bloomer in hottest weather, and a very satisfactory Floribunda everywhere it is grown. \$1.75.

Red Ripples. Brilliant scarlet in both bud and open flower; wavy petals; large clusters, vigorous bush. \$1.25.

Rosenelfe. Small, very double flowers in typical Floribunda cluster form. Rose-pink color; lasts long as cut flower. \$1.50.

Sarabande. Plant Patent 1761. All-America Winner for 1960. A brilliant and fascinating new Floribunda. The semi-double flowers are a unique scarlet-orange and somewhat larger than most of this class. Its spreading growth habit and compact form make it especially suitable for hedges and border use. It flowers throughout the whole Rose season, being profuse in summer when some other Roses slow down in the Lower South. While it will grow well in full sun, it will do very well even with a half day of sunshine. Much admired in our test garden the past several years; we are glad we can now offer it. \$2.50.

Spartan. Plant Patent 1357. A striking coral-red Floribunda, producing a great profusion of medium-sized, very double flowers, on a vigorous and tall-growing bush. Greatly admired, greatly prized for color, vitality and cut-flower use. \$2.50.

Summer Snow. A most prolific Floribunda giving great clusters of pure white blooms throughout the Rose season. Low, compact habit of growth. Outstanding in any Rose planting. \$1.50.

The Fashion Group

Fashion. Coral-salmon.

Jiminy Cricket. Tangerine-orange.

Ma Perkins. Salmon-pink.

(Regular Value \$6.00)

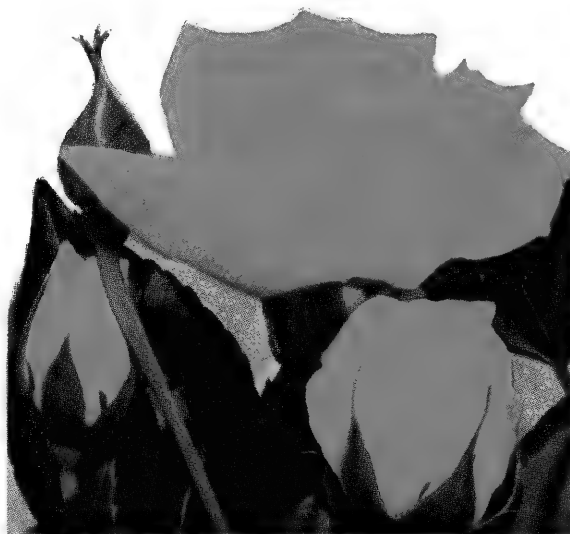
SPECIAL, one each, \$5.35

Three of each for \$15.75

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-4

The Fairy. A valuable ornamental plant for many uses. It gives hundreds of flowers at a time, keeps blooming from April to freezing weather and thrives with less care than most cultivated plants.

The small, sweet seashell-pink Roses come in big sprays continually. The plant growth is very thick and bushy, densely branching and densely covered with small, shining, pretty foliage right down to the ground, as pretty as boxwood and needs no spraying. It will grow to 4 feet in height and just as broad, or can be kept lower if pruned low each spring. \$1.50.



©

GOLDILOCKS

Best yellow Floribunda for the South

Four Favorite Floribundas

Crimson Rosette. Dark red.

Goldilocks. Yellow.

Rosenelfe. Rose-pink.

Summer Snow. White.

(Regular Value \$6.25)

SPECIAL, one each, \$5.50

Three of each for \$15.90

ASK FOR OFFER NO. F-5

DWARF

Polyantha Roses

These are commonly called "Baby Roses" and are excellent for borders, hedges or any place where a small, compact plant is needed.

Chatillon Rose. Small, double, rose-pink flowers borne profusely over a long season.

Golden Salmon Superior. All that the name implies, and a unique color in Roses.

Sparkler. Very dark red sport of Golden Salmon. Very profuse bloomer all the Rose season.

All Dwarf Polyantha Roses are

\$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES



SAFRANO

SNOWBIRD

Scarce Roses of Great Merit

In the back-yard garden of Misses Annie and Julia Wright is an old Tea Rose, Bon Silene, planted by the grandmother of those ladies 90 years ago! It has persisted with the minimum of care. Recently, Mrs. M. G. Nicholson told the Georgia Rose Society she has on the grounds of her residence at Athens a number of old Tea Roses ranging in age from 35 to 50 years, and that she has never sprayed or dusted these varieties one time. It is Roses such as these that show ours is a section ideally suited to growing Tea Roses, including climbing forms and the closely related Noisettes.

Most nursery catalogs do not offer Tea Roses, nor such other kinds ideally suited to Southern gardens as the Banksias, the Cherokees and Hybrid Perpetuals. Rather, most growers offer you Radiance, Paul's Scarlet and a few others, with which we have no quarrel. While admittedly many of the new Hybrid Tea Roses are outstanding, some of those shown in glowing colors will hardly justify the extravagant descriptions.

We agree that there is a fascination about the NEW. And our gardens should have new varieties. But, lest failure dampen our enthusiasm, let's plant more of the Roses that are time-tested and dependable. If today the old Tea Rose William R. Smith were a NEW variety, it would be featured in catalogs and advertisements throughout the land. Yet the flower is more double, more fragrant and more lasting than many of the Hybrid Teas we consider standard varieties. And this old Tea will be living when many other Roses have passed on.

"If a thing is old," said Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker in an address several years ago, "it is a sign it was fit to survive. The guarantee of continuity is quality. . . . Old-fashioned hospitality, old-fashioned politeness, old-fashioned honor in business had qualities of survival."

Tea and related Old Roses have survived because they were fit to survive.

After sixty-two years, we have come to believe that often there is little merit in the new, and to love Old Roses like old friends. And, speaking of "old," let us quote these lines from Mrs. Keays' "Conversation at a Garden Club":

"What do you call old?"

*"Old Roses are those of type and class
Used in good gardens of the past."*

"But when did the past end?"

Too Many Varieties?

"Are there too many varieties? Have you propagated every Old Rose you could lay your hand on?" Certainly not. We are not growing old varieties simply because they are "old." According to Richardson Wright in his "The Story of Gardening," there appeared three hundred China Roses, five hundred Bourbons, three hundred and fifty Noisettes, three hundred Hybrid Perpetuals and fifteen hundred Teas!

So the list in this catalog is relatively very short. Perhaps it does not contain *all* the best of the Old Roses, but we are listing the finest of those we have seen.



DUCHESS DE BRABANT



BARONESS HENRIETTE SNOY

Baroness Henriette Snoy. A comparatively new member of the Old-Fashioned Tea group, and one of the most beautiful and satisfactory of Roses for Southern gardens. The lovely, pointed buds and large, double, well-formed flowers are peach-pink, shaded cream, and are freely produced on vigorous stems. The bush is spreading and vigorous, with abundant, heavy foliage, and most resistant to blackspot. We are the only firm in America to offer this Rose, and many who have seen it in our gardens and fields consider it to be the finest of the Teas, which is saying much, for there are other choice ones.

Bon Silene. Deep rose to carmine, almost red in the fall; large and fairly double. Miss Julia Wright in Thomasville has one her grandmother planted over 90 years ago. Like to plant one for your posterity?

Catherine Mermet. Flesh pink, edges tinted lilac-pink. Buds well shaped; flowers fairly large, double, fragrant.

Darling. A "new" Old Fashioned Rose. Originated in California and called a Hybrid Tea, but here it has such dominant Tea characteristics that we must put it in this group. Large, double, deep rose-pink buds and blooms on a very vigorous and easy-to-grow bush. Most of the pink Tea Roses are on the light side; here is one that is definitely a deep pink. By special arrangements with the introducer, we are privileged to introduce it this season. We like everything about this Rose except the name, which seems to indicate that it might be small, but Darling is a large Rose. We wanted to call it Southland Beauty, a name it deserves.

HJORT'S *Old-Fashioned* Tea Roses

This group of Roses is perfectly adapted to the hot, moist summers of the Lower South, including Florida, and soils that are sandy, although the Teas grow all over the entire South in any good Rose soil.

Tea Roses were brought to Europe from China's gardens in the late 1700's. In northern Europe they were not well received, but in southern France they found conditions of climate and soil suitable and rapidly gained favor. Soon they were brought to America. They did not thrive in the North, but once planted in the South, especially along the Gulf and coastal areas, became immensely popular and outlived other classes of Roses.

Most Teas are not considered cut-flower varieties, but some produce large flowers on stiff stems. The best of these are Darling, Baroness Henriette Snoy, William R. Smith, Maman Cochet, Mrs. Dudley Cross and Mme. Lombard. A lot of the others are much better than generally believed. The pink varieties are the favorites in the Teas, for while the reds grow vigorously it is admitted none of them have color comparable to Crimson Glory and Etoile de Hollande, nor are there yellows like Eclipse and Soeur Therese—they are lighter. One does not plant Teas for flowers like Peace and Chrysler Imperial, but for profusion of bloom, ease of growth and length of life.

If you are not so sure you can grow good Roses by all means start with the Teas. You will love them for their dependable qualities. And really, they are beautiful!

All Old-Fashioned Roses are \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.25, 6 for \$10.50, 12 for \$20.00, by Parcel Post, prepaid

Cecile Brunner. The "Sweetheart Rose." One of the treasures of Old South gardens, just as valued today as in the past. A Tea-Polyantha hybrid, also classed as a Floribunda, which develops into a large, vigorous bush producing an abundance of small, double, light pink blooms in clusters over the entire Rose season.

Duchesse de Brabant. Soft shell-pink. Bud short, globular; open, cupped flower. Growth vigorous and hardy. This dependable old Tea continues to be a great favorite.

Etoile de Lyon. Deep saffron-yellow; large, very double and fragrant. Considered by many to be the finest of the Teas of yellow shading. We are glad we have enough of this variety to offer it this season.

Freiherr von Marschall. Carmine-red; double, vigorous and constant. A fine old Tea Rose.

Gruss an Teplitz. This old Hybrid China Rose has some Tea blood in it. Dark, velvety scarlet; spicy fragrance. Bush very strong and prolific; flowers fairly double.

Lady Hillingdon. Deepest yellow of all Tea varieties. Bud long pointed; flower semi-double, fragrant. Bushy growth; bronze foliage. A favorite Tea Rose.

Louis Philippe. (China.) This is a most unusual Rose of deep red color. Foliage dark and glossy. Compact and vigorous in growth, it is used extensively as a hedge Rose and blooms profusely over a long season. In fact, in mild seasons it blooms throughout the winter in Florida and Gulf Coast areas.

Being an "old" variety is nothing against a plant. Rather, the old varieties that remain in favor occupy a unique position, for they stay with us strictly on merit.

HJORT'S *Old-Fashioned* TEA ROSES

Maman Cochet. Clear silvery pink. Long-pointed bud and large, fragrant flower. This variety does not grow off so rapidly as such Teas as Mrs. Dudley Cross and Mme. Lambert but eventually makes fully as large a bush. One of the best cut-flower Teas.

Marie van Houtte. Canary-yellow; petals tipped lilac-pink. In fall or during a mild winter the flowers show an enchanting lavender cast not seen in any other Rose. Foliage is dark and abundant; growth vigorous and compact. A very lovely and rewarding Tea Rose.

Minnie Francis. An excellent old Tea Rose we thought had been lost. We are glad to have definitely found it and are privileged to offer it for the first time in many years. An extremely vigorous grower, well branched, producing flowers much on the order of Mme. Lambert but not quite so dark.

Mme. Lambert. This Rose is one of the great favorites of those who have Tea varieties. In the spring it is carmine-pink, shaded salmon, a little lighter in summer. In fall it is almost red, when it is in its glory. A rank grower and profuse bloomer over a long season that extends into cool weather.

Monsieur Tillier. Sent to us as a red Tea with small blooms like Cecile Brunner. But in the Lower South it grows into a larger bush than a Floribunda, and the flowers are larger. Small, very double, brick-red blooms.

Mrs. B. R. Cant. Deep rose to light red; large, double flowers. Vigorous and profuse; bush is one of the largest of all varieties. One of the best of Tea Roses, it is a great favorite in many places in the South, such as New Orleans, Mobile, Florida and the Carolinas. Ranks right along with William R. Smith, Baroness Henriette Snoy and Mrs. Dudley Cross, and ought to be in every Tea Rose collection.

Mrs. Dudley Cross. Most vigorous of the yellow Tea Roses. Canary-yellow, long, Cochet-like buds, opening light yellow and gradually developing tints of pink—a fascinating combination. This rank-growing, showy and completely satisfactory Rose should be among the first in any Tea collection.

Mrs. Dunlop Best. Perhaps Mrs. Dunlop Best is best described as a glorified Safrano, being larger and deeper in color. A good cut-flower Tea much admired by those who have seen Tea Roses in our gardens and fields the past few years.

Mrs. Herbert Stevens. Bud long pointed, white slightly tinged pink; open flower fairly large and double, pure paper-white. Typical strong Tea growth and free bloom.

Old Gold. A fine, rare and lovely old Tea Rose. It is more pink, than gold—deep pink, shaded gold. Beautiful pointed buds and fairly double flowers. A large bush, blooming freely.

Perle d'Or. A Tea-Polyantha hybrid, called the Salmon Sweetheart Rose, having the same "baby" double flowers in clusters as does Cecile Brunner. At Thomasville it is a great favorite. Some bushes are thirty years old or more in gardens here. It grows 8 feet tall.

Princesse de Sagan. The best dark red Tea. Semi-double flowers borne profusely on a very vigorous and much-branched, easy-to-grow bush; velvety crimson, shaded purplish. At Thomasville it is a favorite, blooming over a long season, often having a few blooms in a warm spell in the winter.

Safrano. Saffron-yellow. Very vigorous bush and free bloomer. A very old, dependable Tea, appreciated where it is known.

Snowbird. Bud long pointed; flower double, high centered, very fragrant; white with creamy center. Foliage leathery. Like other Teas, highly resistant to blackspot.

Snowflake (Marie Lambert). Small, semi-double, pure white blooms borne profusely in clusters over a long season, on a vigorous bush. It can well be used with colored Floribunda Roses. Greatly prized at Thomasville.

Souv. de la Malmaison. (Bourbon.) Very large, double flower; creamy flesh-pink with rosy center; highly fragrant. A famous old Rose, dating back to 1843, still lovely and still satisfactory.

White Maman Cochet. Sport of Maman Cochet. Long-pointed, white buds, tinged pink, opening into large, double, fragrant flowers. Since its introduction in 1896 it has steadily maintained its position as the leading and best white Tea Rose. While some Teas are not rated as cut-flower Roses, this one is, and should be in every garden of Tea varieties.

William R. Smith. Evaluated by many the finest of all Tea Roses. More people write us or tell us when they visit our garden and fields, of their love for this Rose and their success in growing it, than any other in this group, and there are other Teas of great merit. Beautiful, pointed buds open into large, double, light pink, fragrant flowers, produced on long, stiff stems with a few large thorns. Grows well all over the South and in Cuba. In the Southern tip of Florida it has been called the "Key West Rock Rose," although that seems a peculiar name for a Tea variety that makes so large a bush. William R. Smith should start any collection of Tea Roses.

In limited supply we have a few other Tea varieties.

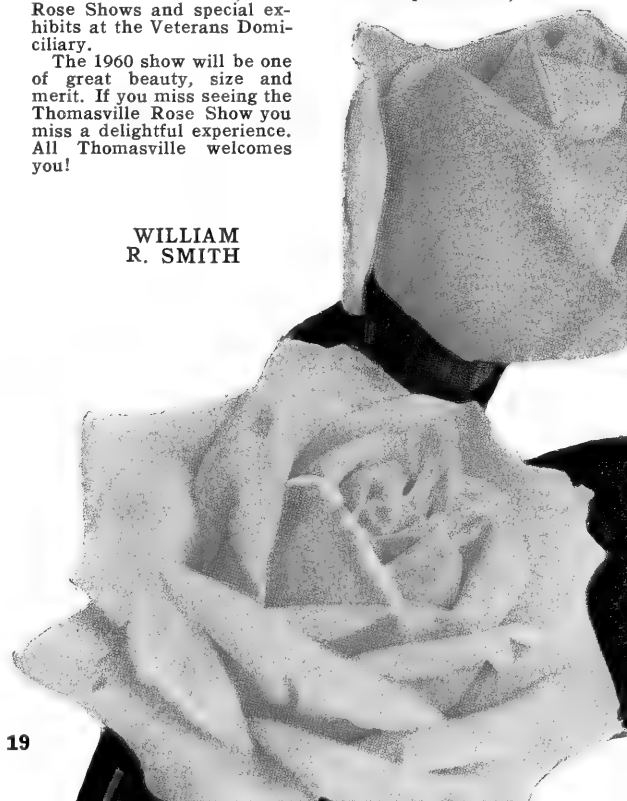
The Thomasville Rose Show

April 29, 1960

Rose time in the Deep South is celebrated annually through the staging of the Thomasville Rose Show, the most spectacular flower show in the Southeast by the Thomasville Garden Club, assisted by the Chamber of Commerce and other civic groups. There will be tours of our Rose Test Garden, famous Southern plantations, the Rose Shows and special exhibits at the Veterans Domitory.

The 1960 show will be one of great beauty, size and merit. If you miss seeing the Thomasville Rose Show you miss a delightful experience. All Thomasville welcomes you!

WILLIAM
R. SMITH



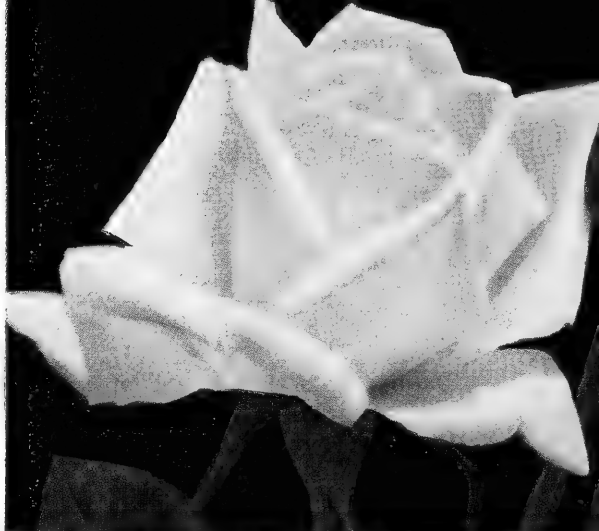
Hybrid Perpetual ROSES

Frau Karl Druschki (White American Beauty). This is the one pure paper-white Rose without a tinge of pink or lemon. Very large and double. In the Southeast repeats in blooming.

Paul Neyron. Greatest of all pink Hybrid Perpetuals. Immense, cup-like bud; perfect, well-formed flower. A grand old Hybrid Perpetual.

Prince Camille de Rohan. Extremely double and well-formed flowers of deep velvety maroon. Rich fragrance. Sometimes blooms again in autumn.

All Hybrid Perpetual Roses, \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.50, 12 for \$13.20



FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

• Climbing Roses •

Including Old-Fashioned Varieties

Explanation of Symbols: LR., Large-flowered Rambler; Cl., Climber; Se.Cl., Semi-Climber; Cl.B., Climbing Bourbon; Cl.Pol., Climbing Polyantha; Cl.HT., Climbing Hybrid Tea; Cl.T., Climbing Tea; N., Noisette.

Prices of Climbing Roses

All \$1.25 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$3.15, 6 for \$6.00, 12 for \$11.00

All \$1.50 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$3.90, 6 for \$7.50, 12 for \$13.20

All \$1.75 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$4.65

All \$2.00 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$5.25

All \$2.25 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$6.00

All \$2.50 Climbing Roses are 3 for \$6.60

All Roses are shipped prepaid

Belle of Portugal. LR. Long-pointed buds open into large, semi-double, light pink flowers. Glossy foliage. Rank grower, producing a profusion of bloom in the spring. \$2.00.

Blaze. Cl. Brilliant red sport of Paul's Scarlet. Blooms heavily in spring and repeats throughout summer. Rich, leathery foliage. Vigorous growth. Very showy anywhere it is used. \$1.25.

Blossomtime. Se.Cl. Plant Patent 1240. Superior in every way. Pleasing light rose-pink, some blooms on single stems, some in clusters. Consistent bloomer throughout spring and summer. Foliage large and abundant; growth very vigorous. A pillar-type variety. \$2.50.

City of York. LR. Semi-double; pure white with golden stamens. Dark, glossy foliage. Awarded Gold Medal of American Rose Society. \$1.50.

Cl. Cecile Brunner. Cl.Pol. A strong climbing form of the "Sweetheart Rose." Bears a great profusion of tiny double light pink flowers on a very robust-growing plant. \$2.00.

Cl. Columbia. Cl.HT. A fine climbing sport of the bush Columbia, bearing silvery pink flowers on good stems for cutting. \$1.50.

BLOSSOMTIME



Climbing Roses

Cl. Crimson Glory. Cl.HT. Plant Patent 736. Rich crimson-red, very large, double and fragrant. Bush extremely vigorous. Flowers throughout all the Rose season. The most admired red climber in our collection. \$2.50.

Cl. Devoniensis. Cl.T. White, faintly tinged pink; large, double. Strong growth, recurrent bloom. A great favorite where it is known. \$2.00.

Cl. Etoile de Hollande. Cl.HT. Deep crimson-red; semi-double. Vigorous, prolific; flowers over a long season. \$1.25.

Cl. Papa Gontier. Cl.T. One of the very best of red climbing Roses for the Lower South. A very vigorous, long-running climber. A large bush will produce many fine, semi-double, rose-red blooms with stems long enough for cutting. \$2.00.

Cl. Peace. Cl.HT. Plant Patent 932. A perfect climbing sport of the famous Peace. Very robust in growth, producing heavy canes, large glossy foliage and plentiful bloom for a large variety. For anyone who cannot grow bush Peace well, we advise using this climber. From it you can cut many fine flowers on stiff stems, just as if it were a bush variety. \$2.25.

Cl. Souv. de la Malmaison. Cl.B. Charming light pink; very large, double flowers; highly fragrant. An extremely vigorous and dependable climber developed from the old bush variety. \$2.00.

Cl. Talisman. Cl.HT. A vigorous sport of bush Talisman; identical with its parent in form and color. Those who have not done well with the bush variety should try this climber; it is very strong, showy and dependable. \$1.25.

Cl. White Maman Cochet. Cl.T. Identical with the pink variety in rank growth and free-flowering habit except for color, which is pure white, beautifully tinged in bud with soft pink. \$2.00.

Cloth of Gold. N. A very rare and vigorous old Noisette. Performs like a Climbing Tea Rose. Will climb 30 feet or more. Deep yellow; fragrant; repeats some. Easily one of the best Noisettes. \$1.75.

Elie Beauvillain. N. One of the most beautiful and profuse of all vigorous climbing Roses for the South. Large, full flowers of shining rose-pink with yellow base. A truly wonderful old variety. \$2.00.

Gloire de Dijon. N. Where Elie Beauvillain is pink with yellow base, Gloire de Dijon reverses the combination. Both are extremely vigorous, not given much to repeat bloom, but oh, what a magnificent show in the spring! Still a favorite after more than 100 years. \$2.00.

Grossherzog Ernst Ludwig. N. Commonly called the pink Marechal Niel. Large, double, fragrant, Marechal Niel-like blooms borne freely on a very rank-growing bush. Easy to grow. Give it plenty of room, and it will be a wonderful sight. Pink, shaded yellow. \$2.00.

Guinee. Cl.HT. Very large, double, dark red; vigorous. \$1.50.

Lamarque. N. Pure white with lemon center; medium size, double, fragrant. Because of its excellent qualities this old Rose, given us by Marechal of France in 1830, still graces many Southern gardens. \$2.00.

Marechal Niel. N. Long a favorite old climber of the South. Double, fragrant, deep yellow. \$2.50.

New Dawn. Cl. An everblooming form of the lovely light pink Dr. Van Fleet. \$1.50.

Pink Cherokee. Lovely, Dainty Bess like pink blooms borne profusely in the spring on a typical Cherokee plant of strong habit. A distinctive old Southern Rose. \$2.00.

Reve d'Or. N. Buff-yellow; medium size; fragrant. Foliage rich green, extending to base of plant. A free-blooming climber that is a great favorite at Thomasville. \$1.75.

Solfaterre. N. A very fine member of the old Noisette group. Large, lemon-yellow blooms, double and fragrant, borne abundantly in repeating surges throughout the Rose season. \$1.75.

White Banksia. The Banksias are always the first Roses to bring in the spring. They flower in winter in Florida and often start before the end of February at Thomasville. While Banksias may be trained on arches or pergolas, often they are tied to pines or other trees and reach a height of more than 30 feet. White Banksia has a delightful violet fragrance. \$2.00.

White Cherokee. A great favorite everywhere used, and the State Flower of Georgia. Large, single, pure white blooms borne profusely in earliest spring on strong canes with glossy foliage. \$1.50.

William Allen Richardson. N. The deepest golden of the yellow Noisette climbers. Small, double, fragrant flowers on a vigorous plant. \$2.00.

Yellow Banksia. While this one is not fragrant, it has all the other characteristics of White Banksia. Beautiful, small, very double flowers in clusters cover the plant. Always the first Rose to bloom at the end of winter. \$2.00.



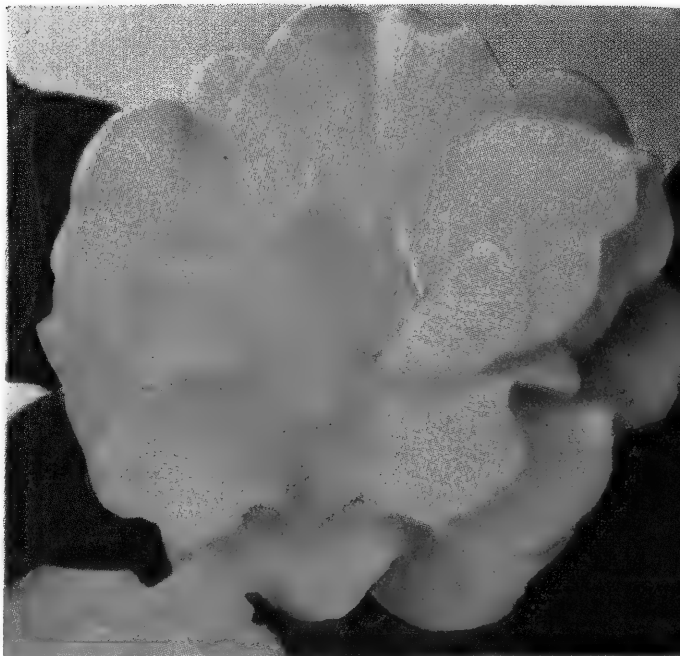
BLAZE

©

HJORT'S *Fine New* CAMELLIAS

Thomasville is in perhaps the most favored locality for producing the finest Camellia blooms in America. Visitors have told us the finest quality of bloom they have seen is in the area of which Thomasville is the center—Albany, Cairo, Tallahassee, Quitman. Here we have conditions of climate and soil most favorable to growing quality plants, too.

Naturally, as an established and progressive nursery interested in the most distinctive flowering plants for this area, we have long been interested in Camellias. We are always procuring new varieties from other parts of the Camellia belt. And we have produced or distributed for other originators here, a goodly number of new varieties.



NANNIE BROWN

Fine CAMELLIAS are a Specialty with us

With the coming of so much that is delightfully new in color and form, and the discovery that the bush is not exotic and tempermental, the Camellia has come to be the favorite flower of many gardeners of the Lower South, where it is an exciting and distinctive gem. Gardeners have found that when properly planted and cared for, but not pampered, the Camellia is an attractive evergreen bush to grace any setting, and with an advantage over other shrubs that hold their foliage in that it is radiant with bloom in all but the coldest days from October to March.

The growing of quality Camellias has long been a specialty with us. We raise these in our fields, in full sun, thereby making the stockiest and hardiest bushes. Lately we have put many of them into containers, to facilitate transplanting at any time. We are testing new Camellias all the time and this season offer an enlarged listing. Selected from many, many seedlings, we present two choice new varieties—Marie Bracey and Nannie Brown.

Visitors are invited to see a wide assortment of Camellias, old and new, around our office and on the grounds of the main nursery, at 1842 Smith Ave., which is the route of U. S. Highway 84, East. And for those who would buy plants, we have very good quality.

Marie Bracey. The finest early pink Camellia since the Daikaguras. A very lovely satiny pink with a sheen; semi-double in form, showing only a few short stamens interspersed in the petals. Of extra hardiness, here and in test gardens of several cities it came through the very severe cold of last winter unharmed, some of the last blooms being very large and lovely. Compact field and container-grown plants, 2-yr. grafts, \$12.50 to \$15.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.

Nannie Brown. A large and beautiful light rose-pink semi-double; raised as a chance seedling by Mrs. T. S. Braswell, of Monticello, Fla., and named in honor of her mother. The flower has one compact ring of golden stamens in the center, holds well on the bush, and has the appearance of being a glorified Beatrix Hoyt, itself an excellent Camellia. Foliage large and dark; bush vigorous, somewhat compact and rounded in growth. Stocky, field and container-grown plants, 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$10.00.



*Three
Lovely*
CAMELLIAS
From
Thomasville

MARIE BRACEY

Lovely new light rose-pink Camellia.
Blooms very early. Very hardy and showy.

Camellia Scions

We sell scions of all Camellias
we have, except patented varieties.
There are many choice ones, old
and new. Scions are cut from
vigorous stock plants. Ask for
price list.



KATE THRASH

Beautiful Incomplete Double Ca-
meilia. Highly resistant to cold.



*You are invited
to join the
American Camellia
Society*

← **BETTY SHEFFIELD**

All the Sheffields are exquisite in
color and form.

Camellia

Ann Miller. A lovely new pale pink peony-form. Large flower; vigorous bush.

Ann Smith. A large and beautiful, very dark red Camellia originated by Mrs. J. W. Mann, of Valdosta, Ga. Flowers are frequently more than 5 inches across, and they come freely over a long season that begins in late November.

Barbara Woodruff. A lovely Elegans sport. Light orchid-pink outer petals and creamy white center petaloids with an occasional rose-pink petaloid.

Betty Sheffield. This charming Camellia, raised as a seedling by Mrs. A. B. Sheffield of Quitman and introduced by us a few years ago, has become one of America's leading varieties, being greatly prized from Norfolk to Texas, and on the Pacific Coast. Large, often 6-inch, very regular semi-double to loose peony form, white with occasional red or pink splotch or stripe. Petals slightly waved; golden stamens interspersed among petals. The bush is a strong, vigorous grower, upright and compact, and the foliage is large and distinctive. Superior to many others of similar color.

KRAMER'S SUPREME. Fine new red Camellia

PRICES OF CAMELLIAS Except as noted

Grafted Plants, Field Grown, Some in Cans

1-yr. grafts on 4 to 6-yr. stocks, B&B, \$5.00 to \$7.50

2-yr. grafts on 6 to 7-yr. stocks, B&B, \$10.00 to \$15.00

Crating charge for shipping, \$1.00 per plant extra

We have a limited supply of good own-root plants in some varieties. 1-gal. and 2-gal. cans, \$1.50 to \$5.00 each. Ask for list.

Aaron's Ruby. Bright red, very large, semi-double to anemone form. While vigorous, it is usually of slender, somewhat pendulous growth, but our field-grown plants are above the average for sturdiness. A worth-while Camellia.

Adolphe Audusson. Generally considered the finest semi-double, dark red Camellia in which stamens are one compact ring in center of bloom. Heavy, dark green foliage.

Adolphe Audusson Special. Loveliest variegated form of Adolphe Audusson. Our plants are grafted from scions especially selected for having a predominance of white. Many blooms show waves of marbling.

Alba Plena. Still the acme of perfection in double-flowering Camellias. Many double white Camellias have been created, but none of such form as to equal Alba Plena. Pure paper-white. Ours are grafted plants, far above the average for shapeliness and hardness.

Angel. White; large semi-double with fluted petals. Compact, vigorous growth. 1-yr. grafts, \$10.00.

Angel's Blush. A very lovely miniature. Very small, semi-double, light pink, having the appearance of a tiny Pink Perfection.

Betty Sheffield, Blush. A large and lovely sport of Betty Sheffield. Light pink; some flowers have deeper splotches, all have white edge. All are exquisite. Like its parent, this Camellia begins blooming in November and continues to March. The habit is compact and shapely, the foliage large, dark green. An occasional bloom measures 6 inches across. Winner of top awards in many flower shows.

Betty Sheffield, Pink. Solid deep pink sport; very fine flower. 2-yr. grafts, \$12.50; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 each.

Betty Sheffield, Variegated. Deep pink with flecks of white. Very attractive. 2-yr. grafts, \$12.50; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 each.

Colonial Dame. White, occasionally blushed pink. Large, semi-double to peony form. Vigorous growth.

C. M. Wilson. Sport of Elegans (Chandler), and exactly like parent except that it is a clear, even shade of light pink.

Coronation. White. Very large, semi-double. Vigorous, open, spreading growth. 1-yr. grafts, \$10.00.

JAPONICA

Daikagura. Long the standard extra-early Camellia of the South. Often in bloom before end of September at Thomasville, continuing to early winter. Available in solid deep pink, and in variegated.

Daikagura, Ward's Variegated. A very select Daikagura with most white petals; very select.

Dear Jenny. Pure white, semi-double, large. Vigorous and compact growth. One of the best seedlings of C. W. Hand, Pelham, Ga., and named in honor of his grandmother, Mrs. Hollis, of Americus, Ga. Mr. Hand has raised many seedlings, and some good ones never went into circulation, but this nice one was worthy to honor a lovely lady of the South who lived to be 100 years of age.

Doris Freeman. Large; semi-double to peony form. Rose-pink, marbled and blotched white. Compact, upright growth. One of the best new Camellias.

Drama Girl. Large, semi-double, deep salmon-rose-pink. Vigorous, open, pendulous growth. Grafts only.

Dr. Knapp. The extra-large, deeply serrated, dark green leaves make this Camellia outstanding, although the deep red flowers are fairly good. 2-yr. grafts only.

Dr. Tinsley. Very light pink at base, shading to deeper pink; semi-double. Truly one of the loveliest of all Camellias. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Edwin H. Folk. An outstanding Camellia in anybody's collection. Large, loose, semi-double; glowing red.

Emily Wilson. A delightful light pink Camellia. Large; semi-double to loose peony form with mixed petaloids. Vigorous; compact, upright in growth.



SHIRO-CHAN. Valuable new white Camellia

Emmett Pfingstl. Large, semi-double with irregular petals to peony form, with waved outer petals and fluted center ones. Deep red, mottled white. Vigorous and sturdy in growth. A very good variety.

Flame. Deep flame-red. Large, semi-double. Vigorous, upright, compact growth. Always showy, always satisfactory, here to stay.

Flame, Variegated. Sport of Flame. Our plants are grafted from one plant showing much white mottling.

Florence Stratton. White with some petals pink. Large, formal to rose-form double with cupped inner petals. Vigorous, bushy growth. 1-yr. grafts.

Flowerwood. A distinctive Mathotiana sport, with petals fimbriated.

Frank Baker. Large, pure white, semi-double with irregular petals. Grafts only.

Frank Gibson. A most distinctive Camellia, different from all others. Pure white, anemone form, with a large mass of golden-edged petaloids in center. The most yellow of any Camellia to date. Vigorous bush; profuse bloomer.

Frosty Morn. A very large white anemone to peony form with beautiful long, narrow, slightly twisted foliage. Medium, open, upright growth. Very good. Grafts only.

Guest of Honor. Large, semi-double to peony form; salmon-rose. Vigorous, compact, upright grower. Grafts only.

Haku-Rakuten (Refugee). Large, semi-double, pure white with golden stamens.

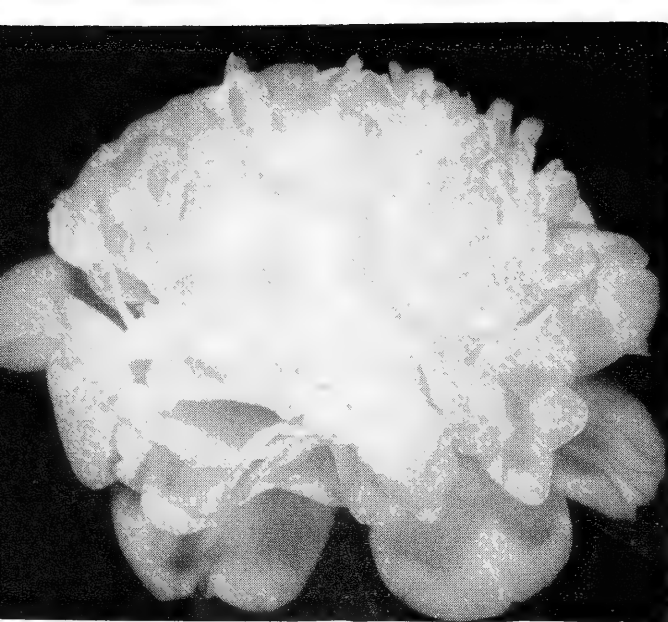
High Hat. Very lovely, light pink sport of Daikagura, with all the good qualities of its parent.

Hishi-Kairito. Delicate pink miniature; semi-double with mixed petaloids and stamens.

Indian Summer, Variegated. One of the best of the many Daikagura sports. Lighter shade of pink than in Daikagura, Variegated. 1-yr. grafts only, \$7.50 to \$10.00.



PEARL MAXWELL
Best large late pink Formal



SALLY HARRELL. Lovely white Debutante form

Camellia

Margaret Waterhouse. Light pink; medium, semi-double. Vigorous, upright growth. Early. This cross of *Camellia japonica* and *C. saluenensis* is a nice flower, quite an improvement over earlier hybrids. Large 1-yr. grafts, \$6.00 to \$8.50.

Mathotiana (Mathotiana Rubra, Julia Drayton, Purple Emperor). Deep crimson, often with purplish cast that adds to its brilliance. The standard of perfection for large, full (formal) double Camellias. Own-root and grafts, \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Mathotiana Rubra, Variegated. Like above, but mottled white.

Mathotiana Rosea (Rosea Superba). Lighter than Mathotiana; very good.

Mathotiana Rosea, Variegated. Like above, but nicely marked with white.

Mathotiana Supreme. One of the great and outstanding Camellias of all time. A sport of Mathotiana producing large, loose peony-form flowers interspersed with showy golden stamens.

Mattie O'Reilly. Coral-rose-pink. Very large peony form, with some petaloids. Healthy bush, but develops slowly. Give it time and it will produce large, strikingly beautiful flowers.

Mercury. Deep rose-red to scarlet. Large semi-double of flat form, sometimes with upright center petals.

Mercury, Variegated. Like above, mottled white. 1-yr. grafts.

Mrs. D. W. Davis. Largest of all *Camellia japonica*; some flowers measure 8 inches across. Semi-double form; lovely very light pink color. Large, dark green foliage. This is a great Camellia everybody should have, and we have excellent, sturdy, field-grown bushes. 2-yr. grafts, \$20.00 to \$25.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$7.50 to \$12.50 each.

Joshua Youtz (White Daikagura). One of the largest pure white Camellias. Blooms very early and continues far into the season. Bush vigorous and hardy.

Kramer's Supreme. Plant Patent 1583. Turkey-red. Very large, peony form with mixed petals and petaloids of full form. Vigorous, compact, upright growth. 1-yr. grafts, field grown, or from egg cans, \$10.00.

Lady Kay. Fimbriated Ville de Nantes; mostly red, but some variegated flowers.

Light Gigantea. Mostly white, some red markings. A strikingly handsome Gigantea sport. Our propagations only from whitest flowers.

Lookaway. Light rose-pink with border of white. A sport of Herme, many think the most attractive.

Mabel Blackwell. White flowers about 5½ inches in diameter, shading to soft pink on the margins of the fluted petals.

MANY OTHER Fine Camellias

In limited supply, both in sturdy, field-grown and container-grown plants, we have many other choice Camellias, including Alba Fimbriata, Anita, Anita's Triumph, Ann Wahl, Aunt Jetty, Beatrix Hoyt, Beatrix Hoyt Variegated, Bride's Bouquet, Brilliant Review, Bryan Wright, Buddy, Caroline Browne, Chandleri Elegans, Cho-no-Hanagata, Clara Green, Clarice Carlton, Claudia Phelps, Comte de Nesselrode, Conrad Hilton, Coral Pink Lotus, Daitairin, Debutante, Don-Mac, Donckelaari, Donna Kaye (Arabella), Duchess of Sutherland, Duchess of Sutherland Pink, Edelweiss, Eleanor Franchetti, Elegans (Chandler), Elizabeth Holmes, Elizabeth Le Bey, Emmett Barnes, Ethel Davis, Eugene Lizze (Lady Jane Grey), Eugenia Howell, Flora Hollingsworth, Fragrance, Frank Edison, Frizzle White, Gulio Nuccio, Haku-Rakuten, Hazel Herrin, Helen K. Herme, Herme Pink, Irene Coker, Island Echo, Jane Blackwell, J. J. Whitfield, J. J. Whitfield Variegated, Jack McCaskill, Jackie Giles, June McCaskill, Kate Thrash, Kate Thrash Variegated, Kerlerrec, Lady Clare, Lady Clare Variegated, Lady Hume's Blush, Lallarook (Laurel Leaf), Laura Walker, Laura Walker Variegated, Lawrence Walker, Lynne Woodruff, Margaret Tourje, Masterpiece, Mrs. Shepherdson, Miss Frankie, Oneita Holland, Princess Lavender, Queen's Escort, Reg Ragland, Rose Gish, Ruth Blackwell, Shivel Duncan, Snow Palace, Stella Sewell, Sunset Glory, Sunup, Tinsie, Wildwood Variegated, Winifred Womack, Winter Morn and others.

JAPONICA

Nina Avery. Lovely light pink with white stamens, tipped brown. Medium, semi-double to loose peony-form flowers with crinkled, erect center petals irregularly interspersed with stamens.

Pearl Maxwell. Light pink imbricated formal double. Large, sometimes 5½ inches across. Late bloomer. Heavy, dark green foliage; erect, uniform bush. A chaste and beautiful Camellia.

Pink Champagne. Soft pink. Very large, semi-double with irregular petaloids. Vigorous, upright growth. A valuable addition to newer Camellias.

Sally Harrell. Almost a perfect White Debutante. Habit of growth and early flowering like it. One of the best Camellias from Thomasville.

Shiro-Chan. A very lovely pure white sport of Elegans (Chandler), with all the good qualities of the older variety. Shiro-Chan is hardier than most white Camellias, with typical dark green Elegans foliage. Everyone who sees it likes it. Regardless of how fast new Camellias are produced, here is one we believe has come to stay. Most of our field-grown and container plants are set with flower buds.

VISIT THE THOMASVILLE CAMELLIA SHOW

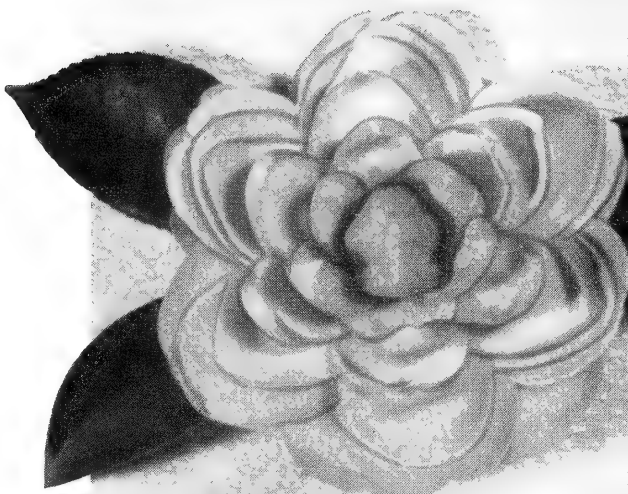
Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 30-31, 1960

The Thomasville Show is always one of the largest and most beautiful. Come and see a wonderful assortment of lovely Camellia varieties, including many that are new.



TOMORROW. Very large and striking

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



STARLET
Exquisite New Miniature Camellia

Simeon. Deep pink. Very large, semi-double to peony form, with large petals and a high center intermixed with golden stamens. Large foliage; vigorous, upright growth. An excellent variety.

Starlet. Rose-pink. Very lovely miniature with incurved, star-like petals.

Sweetheart. All-America Winner, 1959. A very good formal double, medium pink flower. We know Camellia fanciers in the South like semi-doubles, but here is a very good flower. If you come to the nursery, be sure to see it. 2-yr. grafts, compact, from field, \$10.00; 1-yr. grafts, \$5.00 each.

Tomorrow. One of the most notable of Camellia introductions in recent years. Raised as a seedling by Mrs. Ross Hayes, of Thomasville. Very large, semi-double to loose peony-form flowers, often 6 inches across, sometimes deep pink at the beginning of the flowering season but usually light red. Produced rather freely for a Camellia of its size, on a strong, symmetrical bush with dark green foliage. Like the other Camellias we grow, our plants of Tomorrow are all field grown, on large stocks, and the quality is well above the average.

Ville de Nantes, Light Strain. All plants were grown from scions where flowers were mostly white. This does not guarantee absence of some dark flowers, but does give a superior type. Ville de Nantes has been called the world's No. 1 Camellia, for it wins more ribbons than any other variety.

White Empress. Very large, semi-double, pure white with golden stamens. Fairly early; very hardy for a white Camellia.

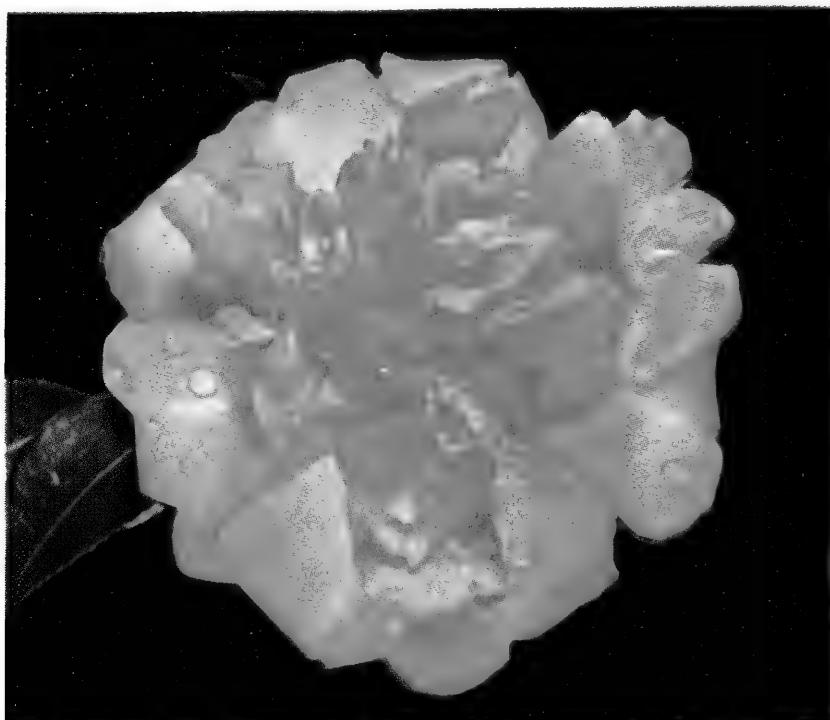
Wildwood. One of the choicest of recently introduced light pink Camellias. Very large, semi-double to peony form; light rose-pink. Upright, compact growth.

Join

THE AMERICAN CAMELLIA SOCIETY

Annual Membership dues are \$6.00, for which you will receive the instructive Annual issued by the Society, as well as the American Camellia Quarterly. Address American Camellia Society, Box 2398, University Station, Gainesville, Fla.

CAMELLIA SASANQUA



SPARKLING BURGUNDY *All-America Winner for 1960*

Sparkling Burgundy. The first *Camellia Sasanqua* to win the All-America Award; on sale fall 1959 for the first time. The full, semi-double (almost double) flowers of deep pink with wine-purple, produced in great profusion on a very vigorous and much-branched bush, make it outstanding in any *Camellia* collection. Regardless of what may have been thought of Japonica varieties that won All-America awards, here is a *Sasanqua* for the South that is different, distinctive and worthy.

2-yr. grafts, well set with flower buds, from 3½ and 5-gal. containers, \$10.00 to \$15.00; Own-root, 1-gal. and 2-gal. containers, \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

Beni-Kantsubaki. Rose-red to crimson; fairly double; very profuse. Bush is strong grower, growth compact and uniform. This is an excellent *Sasanqua*, and the red color for which we have been waiting. 2-yr. grafts, cans only, \$2.50.

Cleopatra. Large, beautiful deep pink flowers, semi-double, and having crinkled petals. Foliage thick, dark and glossy. A vigorous and compact grower. All sizes.

Dawn. Easily the finest of the light pink *Sasanquas*. Large, semi-double flower. 2 to 2½ ft. to 2½ to 3 ft.

Rosea. Medium, single, deep pink flowers in great profusion. Fast grower, free bloomer. This variety at Thomasville blooms September to January. All sizes.

Setsugekka. Very large; semi-double; white with faint pink tinge and ruffled edges. A very good new variety. 15 to 18 in. to 2½ to 3-ft. specimen.

Showa-no-Sakae. A very beautiful new *Sasanqua*. Large, soft pink blooms; almost as double as Snow-on-the-Mountain. Upright, vigorous bush with attractive foliage. Best clear pink to date. Grafts and Own-root, \$2.50 to \$5.00 each.

Snow-on-the-Mountain. The large, double, white flowers resemble a carnation and are borne in such profusion as to literally cover the entire plant. Compact and rounded in growth. All sizes.

In limited supply we have several other choice *Sasanqua* varieties, and we invite correspondence

PRICES OF CAMELLIA SASANQUA

(Except SPARKLING BURGUNDY, BENI-KANTSUBAKI and SHOWA-NO-SAKAE)

	Each
1-gal. cans.....	\$1 50
2-gal. cans.....	3 00
2 to 2½ ft., specimen.....	3 50
2½ to 3 ft., specimen.....	5 00

MEMBER OF



Miscellaneous Plants

In limited supply we have a good assortment of **Kurume** and **Indica Azaleas**, **Oriental** and **Evergreen Magnolias**, **Tea Olives**, **Hollies** and many other plants, offered to those who will call at the nursery. There is fine quality, and prices are reasonable.



HEMEROCALLIS

Daylilies

The growing of top-quality Daylilies has become quite a specialty with us. We won't have all the new Daylilies as fast as they appear—nobody does—but we continually add some of the best, to appear in a new list next spring. In the meantime, many fine ones have come down in price, as shown in this catalog. And nowhere in America are better plants grown than here. We will send you fine plants, grown in sterilized soil, free from any pests, and will ship promptly.

All 50c Daylilies are 12 for \$5.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.
All \$1.00 Daylilies are 12 for \$10.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.
All \$1.50 Daylilies are 12 for \$15.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.
All \$2.00 Daylilies are 12 for \$20.00, 6 or more at 12 rate.

In ordering Daylilies as priced above, you may select as desired. For example, in ordering 12 plants you may select as many as 12 different varieties, or any way you wish in that price group.

All Daylilies priced at \$2.50 or more are Net.

Orders for \$3.50 or more to one address are shipped parcel post prepaid. On orders for less than \$3.50, please add 50c for postage.

Top, CABALLERO Bottom, GEORGIA

Abundance.....	\$0 50	Bright Star.....	\$1 00	Crimson Pirate.....	\$1 00
Adelaide Neiland.....	5 00	Brocade.....	1 00	Daafu.....	4 00
Afterglow.....	50	Brown Jewell.....	1 00	Dauntless.....	50
Amherst.....	50	Brulee.....	3 50	Demi-Tasse.....	1 00
Angelica.....	2 00	Buddy Slaughter.....	1 00	Diadem.....	1 50
Annie Oakley.....	3 50	Burnt Sugar.....	1 50	Dionysius.....	1 00
Annis V. Russell.....	50	Butterfly Wings.....	15 00	Dixie Belle.....	50
Aphrodite.....	1 00	Caballero.....	1 00	Dixie Gold.....	2 50
Arla.....	1 00	Capistrano.....	75	Donation.....	1 50
Athlone.....	1 00	Carmel.....	3 00	Doris Adair.....	3 50
Attack.....	2 00	Cathedral Towers.....	1 00	Doris Mack.....	7 50
Attainment.....	2 00	Celebrity.....	4 00	Dragon Fly.....	50
Audubon.....	3 50	Celleni.....	1 00	Dr. Stout.....	1 00
Autumn Red.....	50	Cibola.....	50	Dress Rehearsal.....	50
Babbette.....	1 00	Citation.....	4 00	Duchess of Windsor...	75
Bagdad.....	50	Claudette.....	50	Easter Morn.....	1 00
Baronet.....	50	Clove Pink.....	1 00	Edward VII.....	1 50
Bernice Russell.....	50	Cluny Brown.....	5 00	Elvenia Slosson.....	1 00
Bess Vestal.....	50	Cockade.....	1 00	Evelyn Claar.....	1 50
Betsy B.....	75	Col. Joe.....	5 00	Flanders.....	1 00
B. H. Farr.....	1 00	Colonial Dame.....	1 00	Fond Caress.....	1 50
Black Falcon.....	50	Copper Colonel.....	1 00	Frances Wynn.....	5 00
Blond Butterfly.....	3 00	Cornell.....	50	Friar Tuck.....	1 00
Bobolink.....	1 50	Cosette.....	2 50	Galahad.....	1 50
Brackel.....	1 00	Crepe Suzette.....	2 00	Garden Flame.....	3 00
Bravo.....	75	Crimson Glory.....	2 50		

A SEPARATE DAYLILY CATALOG

will hereafter be issued in the spring, with complete descriptions. Most of you have received catalogs and price lists already that describe most of our Daylilies. Don't wait for the new booklet—order now, let your plants grow over winter. Each fan planted now will be two or three next spring. Most of the Daylily plants we ship are strong plants with two fans or more.

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA

HEMEROCALLIS • *Daylilies*

Garden King.....	\$1 00	Martha Washington..	\$1 00	Purple Waters.....	\$0 50
Garnet Robe.....	1 00	Mary Elizabeth.....	10 00	Queen Esther.....	75
Gay Knight.....	1 00	Meadowsweet.....	2 00	Quincy.....	15 00
Gay Lark.....	4 00	Miami Moon.....	5 00	Radiant.....	50
Georgia.....	1 00	Middendorfi.....	1 00	Raven.....	1 00
Gladiator.....	50	Midwest Majesty.....	1 50	Rebel Red.....	1 00
Glory.....	1 00	Midwest Star.....	2 50	Red Rock Canyon.....	50
Gold Cargo.....	50	Mikado.....	50	Revolute.....	1 00
Golden Masterpiece..	7 50	Mimosa Rose.....	1 00	Rising Star.....	1 00
Golden Orchid.....	1 00	Ming.....	1 00	Royal Beauty.....	1 00
Goldensong.....	1 50	Ming Toy.....	1 00	Royal Toga.....	1 00
Golden Triangle.....	2 00	Mitchel.....	5 00	Rubaiyat.....	1 00
Golden West.....	50	Mongol.....	50	Ruffled Pinafore.....	1 50
Griselle.....	1 00	Moon Bell.....	3 00	Sally O'Neal.....	1 00
Gunga Din.....	50	Morocco Red.....	50	Salmon Sheen.....	1 00
Haile Selassie.....	1 00	Mrs. B. F. Bonner.....	1 00	Sammy's Minuet.....	1 00
Hazel Sawyer.....	50	Mrs. Hugh Johnson..	50	San Pedro.....	50
Hearts Afire.....	5 00	Mrs. John J. Tigert...	50	Scarlet Sunset.....	50
Helen Fischer.....	1 00	Mrs. Leroy Rogers.....	75	Seminole Chief.....	50
Heloise.....	1 50	Nancy Slaughter.....	7 00	Serenade.....	50
Henry VIII.....	1 00	Nantahala.....	10 00	Shalimar.....	50
Her Majesty.....	6 00	Naranja.....	1 00	Sherry.....	2 00
High Noon.....	4 00	Night Life.....	1 00	Show Girl.....	1 00
Hobo.....	3 00	Nina Winegar.....	2 00	Siren.....	2 00
Honey Mist.....	3 50	Norma Borland.....	2 50	Skylark.....	50
Hyperion.....	50	Olympus.....	1 00	Spice.....	1 00
Invitation.....	3 00	Orange Beauty.....	1 00	Spider Red.....	50
Ivory Chalice.....	1 00	Painted Lady.....	1 00	Spring Dawn.....	1 00
Jack Frost.....	5 00	Pamela.....	1 00	Spring Song.....	2 00
J. A. Crawford.....	50	Pansy Purple.....	4 00	Starlight.....	50
Jean Lafitte.....	75	Parsifal.....	2 00	Star of Gold.....	1 00
Jewel Russell.....	1 00	Party Gown.....	1 00	Stars over Dallas.....	50
Joy Russell.....	50	Patricia.....	75	Storm King.....	2 00
June Maid.....	2 00	Peace.....	3 00	Su-Lin.....	1 00
Kanapaha.....	50	Peach Blush.....	50	Sun Chaser.....	1 00
Kansan.....	2 00	Penelope.....	2 00	Sun Dawn.....	2 00
Katherine Taylor.....	3 00	Persephone.....	2 50	Susan Wynn.....	2 50
Kindly Light.....	1 50	Persian Princess.....	50	Swan.....	1 00
Kitty Dee.....	2 50	Persis.....	5 00	Sweet Alice.....	1 00
Lampasas.....	50	Peter Pan.....	1 00	Taruga.....	1 00
Lena B. Hoover.....	50	Pharos.....	50	Tejas.....	50
Lilac Time.....	3 00	Picture.....	3 50	The Doctor.....	4 00
Linda.....	50	Pink Bowknot.....	1 00	The Director.....	50
Little Cherub.....	1 00	Pink Charm.....	1 00	Tick Tock.....	1 00
Lochinvar.....	75	Pink Damask.....	1 50	Triton.....	12 50
Lucille.....	2 00	Pink Dream.....	2 50	Unity.....	3 00
Madam Butterfly.....	2 00	Pink Glaze.....	1 00	Valdosta Beauty.....	2 00
Madge Vaughn.....	2 50	Pink Interlude.....	3 00	Valiant.....	1 00
Madrigal.....	1 00	Pink Prelude.....	3 00	Vedette.....	1 50
Maestro.....	1 50	Pink Veil.....	1 50	Vega.....	1 00
Maid Marion.....	1 50	Poniard.....	1 50	Vulcan.....	50
Mallow.....	3 00	Potentate.....	2 50	War Path.....	50
Mamie Lake.....	1 00	Powder Puff.....	2 00	Warsaw.....	50
Man o'War.....	50	Prima Donna.....	2 50	Wheeler Halo.....	50
Marcia.....	4 00	Prodigy.....	3 50	Wheeler Hybrid.....	50
Marco Polo.....	50	Psyche.....	50	Wonder.....	1 00
Marionette.....	1 00	Purple Finch.....	50	Yeldrin.....	1 00
Marse Connell.....	3 00	Purple Sage.....	50	Yellow Banner.....	3 00

Special—If you leave selection to us

From the list of 50c varieties, if you leave the selection to us, we will send plants for 30c each, 12 plants for \$3.00, 50 plants for \$10.00, 100 plants for \$17.50, 1000 plants for \$150.00, delivered.

Please order by color: Red, Purple, Yellow, Orange, Bicolor, Eyed. Also Pinkish, if this color is not more than one-fourth of total order. Orders of \$3.50 or more, no extra charge for postage or packing. Orders of less than \$3.50, please add 50c for postage.

JOIN THE AMERICAN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

Send \$3.50 dues to Mrs. Olive Hindman, Secretary, 404 Weigle Ave., Sebring, Fla.

And the Georgia Hemerocallis Society, dues \$1.00, to Mrs. E. F. Boyd, Jr., Secretary, 305 E. DeRenne St., Savannah, Ga. Keep posted by reading the publications of these active groups.

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES, INC.
THOMASVILLE • GEORGIA

Gentlemen:

the Nursery Stock listed hereafter, for which I enclose \$_____

Street and No. _____

Post Office _____ State _____

Express or Freight Office_____

If different from Post Office

NOTE: If a plant you order is already sold out, we will select for you a similar variety of equal or greater value, if such is available. If you do not wish this service mark X here

7

[illegible]

[illegible]

The LIRIOPE

A brilliant and useful border plant, long used at Thomasville, and becoming increasingly popular all over the South. No one who has seen the Liriopes at Thomasville will ever forget the sight. Liriope is a remarkable plant. It will grow in rather heavy shade or in full sun and in very dry locations but is more luxuriant where there is enough moisture. It is used to border walks and beds, on slopes to prevent washing, as a ground cover, in porch boxes and as potted plants. It averages 15 inches in height when fully developed. Plants may be set 1 foot apart to make a continuous line.

It is easy to grow and thrives best in light, enriched soils but persists in hard and heavy soils. Though it blooms anywhere, the foliage is of better dark green when grown in partial shade. Set the plants any time of the year the ground isn't frozen; several years later they may be taken up and divided into at least four times the quantity. Because they bloom in late spring and throughout the summer, the Liriopes are wonderful to use with Daylilies. But Liriope is colorful anywhere it is used!

Majestic. A very superior Liriope grown in the best gardens of Thomasville a long time, since being brought here from England and first used on Mill Pond Plantation. The spikes of blue-purple flowers stand erect above wide, dark green foliage. Many flowers are coxcomb in form, making this strain most attractive and unusual. Majestic, like other varieties, is grown from divisions, the only way to keep it genuine. Blooms all summer. 30c each; \$3.00 for 12; \$22.50 per 100.



LIRIOPE, BLUESPIRE bordering walk

THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



LIRIOPE, MAJESTIC

Bluespire. A new, extra-early and distinctive Liriope. The flower spikes are very erect and somewhat longer than other Liriopes, and the bluish lilac flowers are borne in great profusion. The foliage is not quite so wide as Majestic Liriope. Bluespire is our origination. This showy variety begins blooming in May, fully three weeks ahead of most Liriopes, and continues for some weeks. It is a lovely blue flower to use with Daylilies, especially shades of yellow, pink and the pastel variations. 50c each; \$5.00 for 12; \$40.00 per 100.

Lilac Beauty. Darkest lilac-purple, with dark green foliage. Flower spikes are straight and uniform and stand well above the foliage. Its season of flowering is June to August. Bloom spikes are abundant and stand out above the foliage most prominently continuing longer than most Liriopes. Lilac Beauty is the finest Liriope creation of Mr. George Riegel, and we are glad to be privileged to offer a new plant of such great merit. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 for 12; \$60.00 per 100.

Sheffield. A good selection of Liriope muscari. Not as compact flower as Majestic, but spikes are long and of deep bluish-purple color, the foliage is wide and the plant very hardy. Like other varieties we grow it strictly from divisions. (We raise no seedlings, they mostly revert to very inferior plants.) Liriope Sheffield is a fast multiplier, enabling us to offer it at the lowest price. 15c each; \$1.50 for 12; \$10.00 per 100.

Silvery Sunproof. The best variegated Liriope, and another excellent variety from Mr. Riegel. Wide, white and green striped leaves and long, deep violet-purple, erect flowers in profusion. 75c each; \$7.50 for 12; \$60.00 per 100.

6 or more plants of any Liriopes at the 12 rate; 40 or more at the 100 rate. We pay transportation; all are delivered prices.

Our Liriopes are mostly vigorous, 1-yr., bed-grown plants or divisions of 2 or more bibs. You will enjoy these lovely Liriopes. Try bordering some Daylily beds with Bluespire or Silvery Sunproof.

FLORIBUNDAS . . . are *Fascinating*



- Vigorous in Growth
- Constant in Bloom
- Showy When Used in Beds and Borders
- Lovely as Cut Flowers

Floribunda Rose **FIRE KING**

Plant Patent No. 1758

All-America Winner 1960

A brilliant, intense and colorful Floribunda that has so many good qualities it is a well-nigh perfect Rose of its class. The glowing coral-orange flowers are very double and borne in clusters on a compact, much-branched and vigorous bush that blooms freely over a long season, including the hottest weather when some Roses slow down in the Deep South. It is not only a very showy and satisfactory bedding or border Rose but has strong stems and long-lasting flowers that are fine for cutting. Fire King has been greatly admired in our test garden the past three years, and we are glad it is now available to those who wish an unusually attractive new Floribunda. \$2.50.

CHIC

©

Floribunda Rose **CHIC**

Plant Patent No. 1286

Chic is a beautiful pink Floribunda that has come to stay. The perfectly formed, very double, salmon-pink buds, opening shell-pink shaded salmon, are about the size, as well as the color, of the older Ma Perkins but much more profuse, and on typical Floribunda-type bushes, low to medium in height. In our garden and fields the past several years Chic not only was attractive in the spring and fall when most Roses are good, but bloomed through the hottest weather, becoming one of our favorites for cutting at all seasons. Lovely, dependable Chic is a Rose anyone will esteem. \$2.00.

•
**THOMASVILLE
NURSERIES, Inc.**

"Home of Roses"

THOMASVILLE • GEORGIA



PRINTED
IN
U. S. A.